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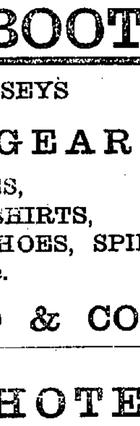
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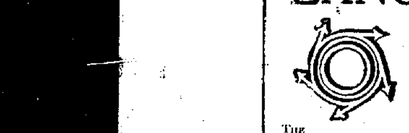
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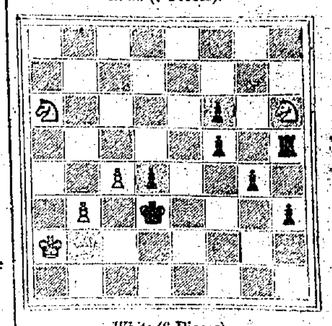
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Problem No. 77.

Black (7 Pieces).



White (6 Pieces).

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Solution to Problem No. 76:—

1 Kt—Kt 5	K×R
2 B×P ch	Any
3 Q mates	
1 ———	R×R
2 B—B 7 ch	K—B 3
3 Kt—R 7 mate	
1 ———	P—K 7
2 B—B 7 ch	R×B
3 Q—Q 4 mate	

Some players seem to be quite unable to set up any position with accuracy. Others will carry the memory of the moves of some special game for weeks or even for years. Mr F. P. Wildman reminded Mr Blackburne in 1887 of a pretty game played and lost by him in 1875, and Mr Blackburne immediately repeated 10 or 12 of the opening moves.

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3 Kt—B 3	P—K Kt 3
4 P—Q 4	P×P
5 Kt×P	B—Kt 2
6 B—K 3	P—Q 3
7 B—K 2	Kt—B 3
8 P—K R 3	Castles
9 Q—Q 2	P—Q R 3
10 R—Q sq	B—Q 2
11 Castles	Kt×Kt
12 B×Kt	B—B 3
13 Q—K 3	P—Q Kt 4
14 B—B 3	Q—B 2
15 K R—K sq	K R—K sq
16 P—K 5	P×P
17 P×P	Q—Kt 2
18 B×Kt	Q B×B
19 B×B	B×R
20 B—R 6	B×P
21 Q—K 5	Resigns.

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Intimations.

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NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Club will be held in the Pavilion at Wong Nei Chong on Monday the 6th. inst. at 5.30 p.m.

R. BASA,
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, October 3, 1902. 2036

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the TWENTY-NINTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Society will be held at the Head Office, No. 1 Queen's Buildings, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 9th October, 1902, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statements of Account for the year 1901, and for the half year ending 30th June, 1902, and of declaring dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from the 29th September to the 9th October, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
W. J. SAUNDERS,
Secretary.

Hongkong, September 19, 1902. 1927

THE CHINA BORNEO COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the China-Borneo Company, Limited, will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company, 4 Queen's Buildings, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 11th day of October, 1902, at 12 Noon, to consider and if thought fit to pass the special resolutions, including those for the voluntary winding up of the Company and the appointment of Liquidators, necessary for the purpose of carrying out, pursuant to and in accordance with the provisions of section 149 of the Companies Ordinance Number 1 of 1865, a provisional agreement entered into between the China-Borneo Company, Limited and the Borneo Hardwood Company, Limited, of Number 18 Bishopsgate Street, within the City of London, having for its objects the sale by the China Borneo Company, Limited, and by the Borneo Hardwood Company, Limited of their several undertakings to and the amalgamation of such two Companies in a new Company to be formed for such purpose. Particulars concerning the proposed Agreement can be obtained on enquiry at the Registered Offices of the Company, Number 4 Queen's Buildings.

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By order of the Consulting Committee.
WILLIAM D. JUPP.
1976 *Acting Manager.*

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 13th October, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
R. G. HECKFORD,
Manager.

Hongkong, September 29, 1902. 1987

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C. PEMBERTON,
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Hongkong, September 30, 1902. 2003

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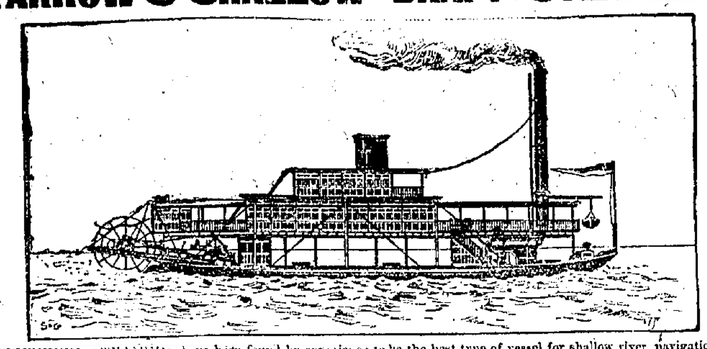
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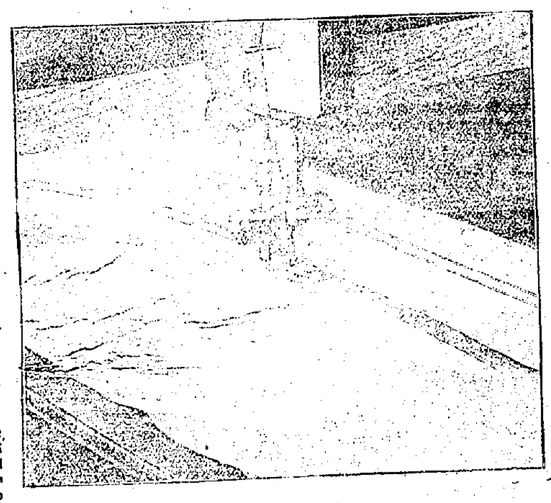
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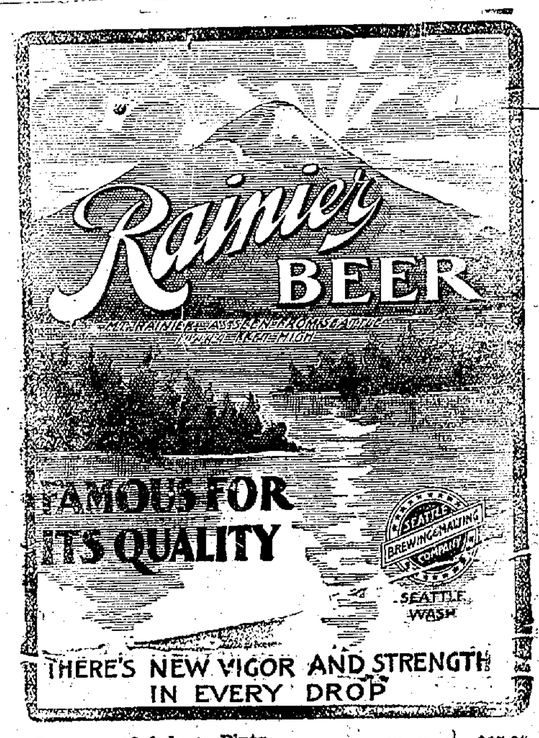
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Miscellaneous.

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MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

Meetings.

4.30 p.m. Meeting of Members of the China Association at Rooms of H.K. Chamber of Commerce.

5.30 p.m. Meeting of Craigengower Cricket Club in the Pavilion, Wongneichong.

Amusements.

5.30 p.m. Organ Recital in the Union Church, by Mr Geo. Grimble.

8 p.m. Performance at the City Hall.

Miscellaneous.

Transfer Books of Wm. Powell, Ltd., closed from this date to the 13th October.

General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, October 9:—

Noon. Tenders for Purchase of the Boiler and Engines of the Launch *Lily*, received at the Office of the Sanitary Board.

Noon. Meeting of Shareholders of The Union Insurance of Canton, Ld., at the Head Office.

Transfer Books of The Canton Insurance Office, Ltd., closed from this date to the 23rd October, inclusive.

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BIRTHS.

On the 27th September, at No. 43, Bubbling Well Road, Shanghai, the wife of R. C. PHILIPPO, of a Son.

On the 17th September, at Lao-ho-keo, the wife of the Rev. A. W. LAGERQUIST, of a Son.

MARRIAGE.

On the 24th September, at the Kakchieh Chapel, Swatow, by the Rev. P. J. Maclagan, M.A., FLORENCE ANNIE CASS, widow of the late Francis Cass, of Amoy, to ERNEST HENRY DE STE. CROIX, son of the late C. W. de Ste. Croix, Chinese Imperial Maritime Customs.

☞ *The publication of this issue commenced at 5.40 p.m.*

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1902.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Bird Preservation in India.

The Government of India has prohibited the export out of India of the skins and feathers of birds, except domestic birds, or for strictly scientific purposes.

London School of Tropical Medicine.

The *British Medical Journal* states that Mr Bomanji Dinshaw Petit, of Bombay, is the donor of a lakh of rupees to the London School of Tropical Medicine.

Glove Championship of India.

The glove fight between Brophy and Powell, on the 19th ult., for the championship of India, ended in a fiasco. A foul was claimed for Brophy and the fight was decided in his favour.

Patriarchal Monarchs.

After the Japanese China War the Emperor at his own cost provided all wounded soldiers who required them with artificial limbs. The Empress has just ordered three army surgeons to travel through Japan and repair such of these limbs as are out of order.

Bank Note Issue.

The following returns of the average amount of bank notes in circulation and of specie in reserve in Hongkong, during September, are certified by the managers of the respective banks:—

Banks.	Average Amount	Specie in Reserve.
	$	$
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China	3,248,677	1,600,000
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation	9,152,332	5,000,000
National Bank of China, Limited.....	448,876	150,000
Total.....	$12,846,885	$6,750,000

A Progressive Conservative!

Governor Chou of Shantung, in conjunction with the Literary Chancellor Yin, a man of pronounced Conservative views, has issued a proclamation calling for students to go to Japan to learn Normal School methods. About twenty will be selected by competitive examination and they will be expected after a nine months' course in Japan to present themselves in China ready for service. Considering that the young men will first have to become acquainted with the branches to be taught, and then learn how to teach them, Governor Chou's time limit speaks well for his opinion of Shantung talent.

The Careful Lawyer.

It was on circuit, or we suppose the thing could never have happened. The judge was decidedly 'short' in his temper, and one counsel in particular had suffered from it. Counsel was a man of some local eminence, and knew that his townsfolk, having fewer subjects for conversation than the city affords, would make the most of it. He saw himself losing caste, while feeling that he was not to blame, and he was angry accordingly. His time came. The judge, growing very petulant—judges get that way sometimes—burst out in reply to one plea, 'Do you take me for a fool, sir? Do you take me for a fool?' Counsel looked at him with calm deliberation, and in tones bitterly incisive yet coldly polite, said, 'I would rather your Honour did not press for a reply.'

Polo Tournament.

By the good margin of 4 goals and 1 subsidiary, Civilians defeated the R.A. in the final tie for the Royal Artillery Polo Trophy, which was played off yesterday afternoon on the Causeway Bay Polo Ground. For the Civilians, Hon. F. H. May, Messrs J. Hastings, W. A. Cruickshank, and E. C. Pontifex, were associated in victory; and for R.A. the team was Capt. Morris, Capt. Stevenson, Capt. Boyd, and Lieutenant Badham Thornhill. Mrs Johnson, the wife of Colonel R. F. Johnson, Commanding the Troops, performed the pleasant function of presenting the Trophy to Mr W. A. Cruickshank, as captain of the team, and holder of the trophy as sole survivor of the previous winning Club team. A charming selection of music was discoursed during the match by the band and pipers of the 33rd Burma Infantry.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Notes by the Way.

The Bonin Islands were visited by a terrible storm from the 4th to the 8th ult.

The Brough Comedy Company, on its way to India, is expected in Colombo next week.

Mme. Rosnet's French Restaurant, No. 117, Yamashitacho, Yokohama, was burnt down on the 24th ult.

Henceforth cadets at Sandhurst will have a full course of musketry there, instead of at Hythe after leaving.

The *Daily Mail* publishes the statement that a gigantic British Steel Trust has been successfully engineered.

An Army Order announces the establishment of mechanical transport companies in the Army Service Corps.

The racer *Petrel*, belonging to Mr Harold Brassey, will be sent to compete for the Viceroy's Cup in December.

Kioto and Nagoya are fighting as to which is to possess the fragments of the bones of Buddha presented to Ceylon by Japan three years ago.

Surgeon-Major Tanaka and a nurse have been sent to Bombay to look after Major-General Fukushima, who was said to be recovering.

The Japanese captain of the *Fujisan Maru* has been fined 100 yen by the Nagasaki Appeal Court for surreptitiously landing a cholera patient at Kuchinotsu in June last.

The *Hamburgisch Boersenhalle* states that the German Levant Line establishes a direct fortnightly service between Alexandria and Hamburg, beginning with the cotton season in October.

The *Japan Times* says that Mr Phillip, a Greek, and two Englishmen have established a cigarette factory at Chemulpo.

A special telegram to the *Kobe Chronicle* says that Mr A. Lo Prevost, charged by Messrs Cornes and Co. with having misappropriated the sum of 300,000 yen, had been arrested and remanded to Negishi prison.

The seismometer at Osaka indicated on the 22nd ult. that a very destructive earthquake had occurred somewhere in the north-east.

The steamer *Hydra* has been floated and towed into Gibraltar, but her cargo of kerosene oil for Kobe has been all jettisoned or damaged.

Nail-Stealing Punished.

For stealing some nails belonging to Messrs Punchard, Lowther and Company, at the Naval Extension works, yesterday, a Chinese lad from Yamnati was sent to prison for three weeks by Mr F. A. Hazeland, this morning.

Cruelty to Cats.

A coolie was sentenced at the Magistracy, to-day, to pay a fine amounting to seventeen dollars or to suffer five weeks' imprisonment for cruelty to thirteen cats, which he had confined in cages, and exposed for sale. The prisoner was brought to book by Inspector McEwen, Inspector of Markets.

Opening Cricket Match.

The first match of the Hongkong C. C. season was played to-day, the First XII. playing the remaining XXII. G. P. Lammert captained 'the crowd,' and scored 14, but the best batting was shown by Smith, R.A., for 31, and Bird, R.M.L.I., 16. Venables, R.W.F., scored 36 and Major Clark, R.A.M.C., 12. The total was 158. The bowling of the XII was feeble, the most successful being Mahon and Powell. R. Garde, R.N., kept wickets well, going through the side without giving away an extra. At 4.30, the Twelve had lost five wickets for 60 runs.

The Loss of the 'Nithsdale'

A few days ago, we published an account of the accident to the S. S. *Nithsdale*, of Glasgow, and, now, the news of the loss of the steamer, during a stormy night which followed that upon which the vessel stranded on the coral reef at the entrance to the Cardiva channel, Maldive Islands, has just been received. The chief officer, Mr. R. Duncan, with five companions, covered 400 miles in an open boat in order to seek assistance at Colombo, leaving the Captain, two officers, and thirty-two seamen on the doomed steamer. Before help could be offered, the storm set in, and the *Nithsdale* foundered with all hands on board. The news of this tragedy of the sea was brought from the Maldives by the British India Co.'s steamer *Anara*, which left Colombo on the 6th inst. to bring the Sultan of the Maldives to Ceylon.

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Hongkong Christian Union.

The weekly prayer meeting will be held on Monday evening at 5.15, in the room of the Union, 13 Beaconsfield Arcade. The Venerable Archdeacon Banister will preside. All are cordially invited.

Chinese Lad's Suicide.

In First Lane, Yamnati, on Friday morning, a Chinese lad of sixteen years climbed up a wall, fastened a piece of cord to a large nail, and then swung himself clear. When discovered, he was quite dead

Parcels for the United States.

Hongkong participates in the new parcels post between British possessions and the United States of America. The weight limit is 11 lbs. and the maximum length 3 ft. 6 ins. The details of the Service are published in the *Gazette*.

The Tobacco Trusts.

A London telegram states:—The struggle which has been going on in the tobacco trade has resulted in heavy losses to W. Dukes, Son & Co. It is reported that the losses amount to a million and a half sterling. The British Combination has just bought three million pounds of leaf in Kentucky.

Cotton Goods and Chinese Duties.

A Calcutta telegram dated 16th ult. says:—A letter has been published from the British Special Commissioner, stating that the duty on cotton yarns in the new Chinese Import Tariff is fixed at a uniform rate of 9¼ mace per picul for all yarns, grey bleached single otherwise, except dyed gassed mercerised, which is dutiable at 5 per cent. *ad valorem*.

The Neill-Frawley Company.

The Neill-Frawley Company gave a performance of 'Secret Service' at Shanghai, where the newspapers speak enthusiastically of the performance. Both Miss Van Buren and Mr Daniel Frawley are highly praised. The Company plays 'Secret Service' at the Theatre Royal to-night and 'Lord and Lady Algy' on Monday night.

Music at Hongkong Hotel.

By kind permission of Lieut.-Col. Candy and Officers, the Band of the 14th Bombay Infantry will play at the Hongkong Hotel this (Saturday) evening, from 8 p.m. to 9.30 p.m.:—

1 March .....'Bienenhaus' .....Schneider
2 'Reminiscences of All Nations'..Godfrey
3 Valse .....'Sobre las olas' .....Roscas
4 'West's Patrol'.....West
5 Fantasia.....'Carmen' .....Bizet
6 'Three Dances in Henry VIII.'...German

EXTRA.

1 Picaroon .....'Piccolo Solo'.....Rigby

Lady Interpreters in the Palace.

For better opportunities for communicating with the Ladies of the Foreign Legations, the Empress Dowager recently gave instructions to engage several lady interpreters for her Court, with the result that the Grand Secretary Yung Lu and and Prince Ching have recommended each a couple of ladies to the Empress Dowager for the purposes. The new interpreters (says the *N.-C. Daily News*) are each to attend certain hours daily in the Palace, within call of the Empress Dowager, thus enabling her to receive foreign ladies at any time and at any hour. The names of the new lady interpreters have not yet transpired, but they are probably all of the Manchu race.

Advertisements.

The article headed 'Advertisement' in the new edition of the 'Encyclopædia Britannica' gives Mr Haxon the opportunity to show the effect that certain kinds of advertising have on shop customers. 'The average man or woman who goes into a shop to buy soap is more or less affected by a vague sense of antagonism toward the seller. There is a rudimentary feeling that even the most ordinary transaction of purchase brings into contact two minds actuated by diametrically opposed interests. The purchaser, who is not asking for a soap he has used before, his some hazy suspicion that the shopkeeper will try to sell, not the article best worth the price, but the article which leaves the largest margin of profit; and the purchaser imagines that he in some measure secures himself against a bad bargain when he exercises his authority by asking for some specific brand or make of the commodity he seeks. If he has seen any one soap so persistently advertised that his memory retains its name, he will ask for it, not because he has any reason to believe it to be better or cheaper than others, but simply because he baffles the shopkeeper and assumes an authoritative attitude by exerting his own freedom of choice. This curious and obscure principle of action probably lies at the root of all poster advertising, for the poster does not set forth an argument as does the newspaper advertisement.'

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TELEGRAMS.

CHINA MAIL' SPECIAL SERVICE.]

THE NEW ANGLO-CHINESE TREATY.

CONDEMNED BY AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

SHANGHAI, October 4, 9.40 a.m.

The American Association held a meeting here yesterday to consider the new Treaty between Great Britain and China arranged by Sir James Mackay. After discussion, the following resolutions condemning the Treaty were passed unanimously:—

Whereas the treaty signed at Shanghai on the 5th September, 1902, between the representatives of Great Britain and China, contains certain articles and clauses which will not become operative unless all the Powers entitled to the most favored nation treatment in China shall enter into the same engagements as Great Britain with regard to the payment of surtaxes and other obligations imposed by Article VIII of the said Treaty of Shanghai; and

Whereas the American Treaty Commissionere are now negotiating a new treaty between the United States of America and the Empire of China; and

Whereas Article VII of the said British Treaty of Shanghai expressly stipulates that native Custom Houses 'at the open ports, on the seaboard, on rivers, inland waterways, land routes, or land frontiers' and 'offices for collecting duty on native opium' at 'important points on the borders of each provinces,—either on land or water'—and 'salt reporting offices,' etc., are to be retained or established; and

Whereas the said treaty provides for 'a consumption tax on articles of Chinese origin not intended for export' to be collected throughout the Empire, except in treaty ports; and

Whereas 'an excise equivalent to double the export duty as laid down in the Protocol of 1901 is to be charged' on all manufactures in China; and

Whereas an 'additional special surtax of one half the export duty' may be levied on exports to coast ports or to foreign lands; and

Whereas the said treaty also stipulates 'that foreign goods on importation, in addition to the effective 5 per cent. import duty, as provided for in the Protocol of 1901, shall pay a special surtax equivalent to one and a half times the said duty, Therefore

Be it Resolved that we, the members of the American Association of China, place on record our belief that no additional benefits will accrue to American trade under the conditions proposed in Article VIII of the said treaty, and that the present benefits will be negatived by the concessions granted by the surtax cited above, and reaffirm our opinion as to the inability of the Chinese Government to abolish likin and other illegal taxation; and.

Resolved that we deprecate any attempt to impose or sanction in treaty form excise and consumption taxes on the internal rade and merchandise of China, an independent friendly nation; and

Resolved that the additional surtax on exports from China, coupled with excise and consumption taxes, as proposed, will tend to continue China as a debtor nation, retard her internal development and prosperity, and by hampering her purchasing power, seriously affect foreign trade; and

Resolved that these resolutions be forwarded to the Department of State at Washington, to the American Treaty Commissioners, and to the American Asiatic Association

[N.-C. DAILY NEWS SERVICE.]

TERRIBLE WEATHER IN JAPAN.

KOBE, September 29.

Yesterday's typhoon caused terrible devastation in the northern districts. In Tokio alone 180 houses were totally and 2,600 partially destroyed, and 400 flooded. Ninety vessels are missing. A tidal wave rolled up in the neighbourhood of Odawara and Kodzu; 600 persons are missing, and 200 dwellings are swept away. The German mail steamer *Preussen* was driven ashore at Yokohama and subsequently refloated undamaged, and several yachts were wrecked.

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by the Hongkong Observatory:—

On the 4th at 11.10 a.m. The barometer has fallen quickly in E. Japan, probably owing to the existence of a low pressure area over the extreme north of the Sea of Japan.

Pressure remains high over China, and gradients continue slight with moderate NE monsoon along the coast and over the N. part of the China Sea.

Forecast:—moderate N.E. winds; fine.

CATARRH IS ALWAYS THE RESULT OF a neglected cold. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will not cure catarrh, but will cure the cold and so prevent that disagreeable malady. This remedy not only relieves the local irritation of the throat and lungs, but removes the causes of the diseased condition. It leaves the system in a natural and healthy condition. It always cures and cures quickly. For sale by All Dealers; WATKINS Ltd., General Agents.

TELEGRAMS.

[REUTER'S SERVICE.]

DREYFUS AND THE DEATH OF M. ZOLA.

LONDON, October 1st, 1902.

M. Dreyfus has visited Zola's death chamber, where he was profoundly affected. He will probably be absent from the funeral on Sunday, as he needs rest, and his presence might lead to nationalist disorders.

RUSSIA AND JAPAN.

LONDON, October 2nd, 1902.

A Russo-Japanese Society has been established at Moscow for the purpose of promoting Russo-Japanese commerce. It establishes a mill at Minsk for weaving Japanese raw silk.

THE U.S. COAL MINERS STRIKE.

Owing to the coal famine in New York, resulting from the strike of U.S. coal miners, President Roosevelt has invited the presidents of the coal-carrying railroads and the president of the Miners Union to a conference with him on the 3rd instant regarding the failure of the coal supply, which has become a matter of vital concern to the whole nation.

THE 'TIMES' AND THE HOUSE TAX IN JAPAN.

The Times commenting on the reference of the Japanese House tax question to the Hague Arbitration Court, eulogises the courtesy and good humour displayed by both parties, as also the graceful and becoming concessions on the part of the Japanese Government, which show a high sense of what befits Japan as a great Power.

A NEW JAPANESE LOAN.

Japanese five percentage bonds to the extent of fifty million yen will be issued in London next week, probably at par.

THE REBELLION IN KWANGSI.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Kweilin, September 20.

Several pieces of information have just come in about the remains or possibly recrudescence of the rebellion, so-called. It is reported but on what authority I cannot tell, that the city of Ho Ta'i Cheo (河池洲) in the prefecture of King Yuen Fu, in the West of the province, has surrendered to the rebels, and that the official is a prisoner. These rebels are reported to be disbanded braves, reinforced by malcontents.

Then, again, another place, a market named Huang Mien (黃免) in Yuin Fuh Hsien (永福縣), in the prefecture of Kweilin, not so far to the South of this place, is in the hands of rebels, who are in some strength. This is far removed from the other centre, and certainly has no connection direct with it. Whether these are disbanded braves, or just malcontents, I have not yet been able to find out. This may be a rising of the 'Brotherhood' which has been increasing in power during the past year especially.

This 'Brotherhood' Ko Ti Huei (哥弟會), is a secret society that is rapidly coming into prominence, and is reported not to be more than a few years old. Secret meetings are held in the mountains at night, no country offering such facilities for such as Kwangsi, but up to the present it has done nothing, waiting until the time is ripe. It seems to be a rebel society, whether anti-foreign or not, I do not know, probably the former, as there is certainly much anti-foreign feeling around on account of the cholera. This 'Brotherhood' seems to have a large following, and it is with reference to this presumably that recent proclamations have been issued urging people to give up such things, and if they repent they will be forgiven; if not, that they had better look out for the consequences. The punishing of people found out at night is probably aiming in the same direction.

I hear that H.E. Governor Wang has not yet started for Nanning, but is waiting at Wuchow. But as news takes so long to filter through by purely native sources, this may be an old story by this date.

HE: 'But she spends too much money.' His Wife: 'Now, I don't think so; but her husband doesn't make enough.'

'THE Health and Vigour of an individual depend upon the quantity and quality of the Blood. When the tissues have been at work, there are thrown into the blood, waste products, and if these be not eliminated but (through any cause) detained in the blood they influence nutrition and function and finally produce organic disease.'—*The Humanitarian*. In cases of Scrofula, Scurvy, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples and Sores of all kinds, the effects of Clarke's Blood Mixture are marvellous. Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected by it. Clarke's Blood Mixture is sold everywhere, at 2s. 9d. per bottle. Beware of worthless imitations and substitutes. E24

Opium Quotations.

HONGKONG, October 4, 1902.

New Patna, cash,	907½
Old Patna, cash,	935
New Benares, cash,	902½
Old Benares, cash,	—
New Malwa, credit,	940/960
Allowance, Taels,	—
Last Year,	980/990
Allowance Taels	0/8
Old Malwa credit,	1 00/1010
Allowance, Taels,	0/8
Persian, Oily, cash,	—
Allowance, Taels,	—
Persian, Paper tied,	660/675
Allowance, Taels,	—

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT AMOY.

Messrs Douglas Lapraik's Offices Destroyed.

We are informed that a telegram was received from Amoy last night stating that large portion of the native city had been destroyed by fire and that the Foreign hongs on the sea front were threatened. We believe Messrs Douglas Lapraik and Co.'s offices have been destroyed. The full extent of the damage is not known, but the losses to the insurance companies will probably be heavy.

THE COLLAPSED HOUSES.

Contractor Committed on Charge of Manslaughter.

This morning, the enquiry into the collapse of the kitchen of house No 56, First Street, in which a Chinaman lost his life, was continued before Mr J. H. Kemp at the Magistracy. The jurors were—Messrs W. F. Must, J. J. dos Remedios and Gustav Rast.

Mr H. L. Dennys, Crown Solicitor, again appeared on behalf of the authorities, and Mr P. W. Goldring (of Messrs Deacon and Hastings' Office) for the contractor, Tack Kee.

The Magistrate, at the conclusion of the addresses, submitted three questions to the jury, the first being whether they considered the man was killed through culpable negligence and the next whether anyone was responsible.

The jury were of opinion that the death of the man was caused by the culpable negligence of the contractor and that the Government had not exercised sufficient supervision.

Tack Kee was therefore committed for trial at the Supreme Court on a charge of manslaughter, but was permitted his liberty on bail of $5000.

HONGKONG SHARE REPORT.

In their weekly share report dated 3rd October, Messrs Benjamin, Kelly & Potts write:—

Although business has not increased to a very large extent, some gleams of brightness are beginning to show above the horizon, and the tone of our market is decidedly healthier now than was the case last week. During the interval enquiries have been pretty general, and consequently several stocks have appreciated in value—notably Unions and Hongkong Fires, both of which show a gain of 20 points on last quotations.

Banks.—Hongkong and Shanghai Banks have ruled firm, and have improved to $600, at which price shares are in demand. In London, the stock is quoted at £63 sterling. Nationals are without change.

Marine Insurances.—Under the influence of a strong demand, Unions continue to tend upwards, and $485 had been paid for shares, the market closing with further buyers at this figure. China Traders have also hardened, resulting in business at $59. Cantons have advanced to $185, and are enquired for at the rate.

Fire Insurances.—Both stocks show an improvement on the previous prices. Hongkong Fires have been booked at $360, and China Fires can be placed at $86.

Shipping.—Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboats are still to be had at $36½. Indo-Chinas were in strong request for the settlement with sales at various rates, and as much as $85 was paid in one case, but they have since weakened to $80, at which price, however, there are probable buyers. Douglas Steamships are weaker, and have no buyers at over $38, ex the dividend of $3 paid on the 19th ultimo. China and Manilas have risen, and are asked for at $22½, after sales at the rate. Shell Transports have enquiries at £1.15.0, but holders will not part except at considerably higher Prices.

Refineries.—China Sugars are quiet, and can be obtained at $99. Luzons are unchanged at $10 buyers.

Mining.—Punjoms (ordinaries) are wanted at $4½; the preference shares have found buyers at $1. We are advised that the result of crushing for the month of September is:—600 tons of surface and stopes ores crushed for a yield of 139 ounces of smelted gold, which is equivalent to an average of 4 dwts. 15 grs. per ton. Raubs have been in good demand and extensive sales have been effected at $5½, closing with further enquiries. Jelebus remain firm at $1¾. Chinese Engineering have been sold in Shanghai at Tls. 9. Telegraphic advices state that a dividend of 7½ per cent. (one shilling and sixpence per share) has been declared.

Docks, Wharves and Godowns.—Hongkong and Whampoa Docks have changed hands to some extent, and are in further request at $205. Farnhams are to be had at Tls. 190. Kowloon Wharfs are wanted at $80. Shanghai and Hongkew Wharfs can be sold at Tls. 310.

Lands, Hotels and Buildings.—Hongkong Lands are still offering at $171. Shanghai Lands are reported sold at Tls. 117½ in the North. Hongkong Hotels, after sales at $126 and $127, are in demand at the latter rate. Astor House Hotels have further declined and are procurable at $83½. Oriental Hotels are in the market at $42½. Humphrey's Est. to have been negotiated at $11½, and are now enquired for at $11¾. China Providents are a shade firmer and can be placed at $9¾.

Cotton Mills.—Hongkong C. Itons have changed hands at $16¾. There is nothing doing in the Northern Mills.

Cigar Companies.—All stocks under this heading are quiet.

Miscellaneous.—Green Island Cements have been bought at $19¾, and more shares are wanted. A few Watsons have been disposed of at $14½. Electrics are weak at quotations. Langkats can be placed at Tls. 340.

THE KING EDWARD HOTEL HOUSE-WARMING.

King Edward Hotel, the latest addition to the architecture of the new reclamation, enjoyed a happy house-warming last night. The handsome premises, which Messrs Dorabjee, Madar and Farmer will very shortly open to the public, were inspected with very keen pleasure by the large party of guests who afterwards sat down to dinner, and the excellent impression which this 'private view' created was given suitable expression to after the loyal toasts. Mr W. Farmer presided, and amongst those who accepted invitations were:—Dr Atkinson, Major Chapman, Lieutenant Armstrong, Messrs J. I. Andrews, Bryer, Bailey, Bryan, Cronin, Cottam, Cockell, W. A. Crake, Tung Chee, W. Davies, T. H. Reid, Diss, Edwards, Gloyn, Gourdin, Grace, L. Glissman, R. G. Heckford, A. Shelton Hooper, Hagen, J. M. Henderson, H. E. Haggard, H. Haines, Houghton, Jupp, J. D. Kinnaird, W. King, G. P. Lammert, J. Lemm, E. O. Murphy, J. W. McCorquodale, R. H. B. Mitchell, Macmillan, McIver, Meugens, A. Nobbs, Northcott, Ough, W. Parlane, G. Patton, W. H. Percival, A. Roger, Richardson, A. E. Robinson, H. Spurge, P. W. Sergeant, C. Sherrington, A. H. Skelton, E. A. Snewin, E. W. Terry, A. A. Tarrant, J. Walker, F. C. Winterburn, H. B. Bridger, L. J. Godwin, B. B. Harker, E. M. Hazeland, Dr Swan, Buckland, F. Hawkes, R. V. Rutter, J. McCubbin, Cornewall Lewis, J. Lochead, J. Dickie, W. C. Jack, Captain Corbett, Dr Gibson, H. Archibald, M. Collins, G. J. W. King, A. Shaw, A. G. Ewing, J. L. Cotter, G. A. Watkins, A. G. Gordon, A. C. More, Dr Beringer, W. Kerfoot Hughes, Captain Kofod, Abdoolally Ebrahim, J. W. Osborne, F. G. Whittick, Hickie, A. Wright, Davidson, and Puddephat.

Mr W. Parlane proposed the Army, Navy, and Auxiliaries. They were proud, he said, of the work which the Naval Brigade had done at Ladysmith, and the deeds of the Army in South Africa were fresh in the memory of all. The Auxiliaries had also done their part and won the distinction which their bravery and endurance merited (applause). Within the last few days the return of the Hongkong boys had brought the Auxiliary forces very much to the front. (Hear, hear). They were all proud of them, he felt sure, and proud of the part they had taken in the festivities at home (applause). They were a credit to Hongkong and it was an admitted fact that they were equal to, if not superior, to any other contingent that went to the Mother Country on that auspicious occasion. When he looked at his friends Major Chapman and Lieutenant Armstrong, he was certain that they would all agree with him in saying that the contingent which had represented their Colony was a splendid one and that they could not have sent a finer body of men to the Old Country (applause).

The sentiment was cordially honoured, the company singing in chorus, 'For they are jolly good fellows,' and afterwards,

Major Chapman responded. Having thanked Mr Parlane for his excellent opinion of the Contingent, he expressed the pleasure which the volunteers derived from their reception in England. Turning to the other side of the picture, he was happy to be able to say that the conduct of the men during their trip and in England was exemplary.

Mr A. Shelton Hooper asked the company to drink 'Success to the King Edward Hotel.' He spoke of Hongkong as a long-suffering place. Amongst many other ailments, the Colony had suffered for a long time from the want of proper hotel-accommodation. Now, their good friends, Messrs Dorabjee, Madar and Farmer, ever ready to cater for the comfort and pleasure of the public, had stepped into the gap and provided an hotel, which, he was sure, would be second to none in the Far East. The triumvirate knew more about hotel-keeping than anyone East of Suez, and their proprietorship of the Victoria Hotel was within the present recollection of many gentlemen present. He was sure the hotel would prove a great success; it would hurt nobody; and it would benefit many. (Hear, hear, and applause).

Mr W. Farmer, on behalf of himself and partners, thanked their guests for the hearty spirit in which they honoured the toast. The aim which the proprietors of the hotel had before them was to provide in a suitable way for the comfort and convenience of the numerous sections of the community, especially the officers of the army and navy and the senior officers of the mercantile marine. Mr Dorabjee, through his experience of the Colony during the past half-century, and the other partners with their newer ideas, knew the wants of the people, and his desire was to make the King Edward Hotel a first-class home for their guests (applause).

Other toasts, songs, and stories followed. A delightful series of popular pieces was played by the admirable band of the 33rd Burma Infantry during the progress of the house-warming.

It is said that the reason why clerks stare so much at pretty women is because their business requires them to have an eye to figures.

IMPURITIES IN THE BLOOD.—'We have seen hosts of letters from people who have received great benefit from the use of Clarke's Blood Mixture. It cannot be too highly estimated, for it cleanses and clears the blood from all impurities.' This is a good testimonial from and *Family Doctor*, which goes on further to the 'It is the finest Blood Purifier that sciencesay: skill have brought to light, and we can with the utmost confidence recommend it to our subscribers and the public generally.' For Scrofula, Scurvy, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples and Sores of all kinds, its effects are marvellous. Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected by it. Clarke's Blood Mixture is sold everywhere, at 2s. 9d. per bottle. Beware of worthless imitations and substitutes. E24

SHOCKING AFFAIR IN HONGKONG.

Girl Stabbed and Set on Fire.

One of the most shocking examples of barbaric cruelty brought to light in the Colony for many years is just now occupying the attention of the police. Inspector Hudson has arrested two Chinese, a woman and a man, in connection with the affair, and their trial will take place before Mr Hazeland on Saturday next.

It was an anonymous letter which put the police on the track, and the story told to Inspector Hudson when he took the female prisoner into custody at 364, Queen's Road, was somewhat as follows.

About six years ago a little native girl, now in her twelfth year, was brought down from the interior, and since then her life has been that of a victim of systematic ill-usage. As her years increased, so, too, did the cruelty of the woman who had obtained possession of her,—she was subjected to nameless tortures. Some time ago, the child's hands were bound behind her back and then she was slung to a cubicle by a cord fastened at her wrists. In this helpless state she was tortured. One result of this ill-usage is a paralysed arm. More recently the woman tore the hair out of her head—'little of it was left on her,' the *China Mail* representative was told; and this horrible cruelty was followed by more barbarous treatment still. Sixty wounds cover her body. The instrument with which they were inflicted was a scissors. With a knife, the blade of which is seven inches long, the woman cut her over the ankles, and then beat her across the back with a rattan cane. The final torture, which was inflicted a short time before the arrest was effected, was the most shocking of all. With two joss papers saturated with kerosine, the woman burned the girl's arms and wrists, leaving the limbs of the poor victim in a shocking state.

At the Magistracy Court, to-day, the male prisoner appeared before Mr Hazeland, and the charge of wilfully maiming and ill-using the girl was formally preferred.

Mr J. S. Harston, who is defending the prisoners, sought their release from confinement, on bail. They were willing to find $3,000 for this purpose; but the Magistrate declined to allow bail without the consent of the police, which was refused. Detective-Inspector Gidley was present in court. It was stated by Mr Harston that the female prisoner was in a delicate state of health, but Mr Hazeland remarked that the medical officer of the Jail would attend to that.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

Snowfall in September.

Calcutta, September 19.—The weather in England continues remarkably unseasonable. The Wet spell has passed; but it is extremely cold, with slight snowfall in places.

General Fukushima in Hospital.

General Fukushima, who was staying at Simla with Sir George Barrow, has been compelled to go to the hospital at Umballa, with fever. He intended visiting Peshawar Malakand and the Khyber, and to leave India at the end of this month in order to be back in Japan for the manœuvres.

Volunteering in England.

London, September 13.—Recruiting of Volunteers for the year ending 31st October is closed. The returns of the fourteen Metropolitan Battalions show an average loss of 111. It is stated that there is a corresponding reduction in the whole forty Metropolitan corps due mainly to the new regulations.

Obituary.

Simla, September 16.—Lieutenant L. J. S. Cahill, Royal Army Medical Corps, died at Ahmednagar last Sunday from enteric fever.

Calcutta, September 18.—A cablegram received here records the death at Portland, Oregon, U.S.A., on 16th instant of Mrs Thoburn, M.D., wife of Bishop Thoburn of Calcutta.

The German Manoeuvres.

London, September 13.—The German manoeuvres are ended. The Kaiser actively participated. He led 9,000 Cavalry thirty miles yesterday, heading the final charge and routing the enemy. The Infantry observed the South African methods of attack. Lord Roberts and party followed closely throughout and bade farewell to the Emperor on the field and returned to London.

Cricket in England.

London, September 13.—The Australians beat the South of England by sixty-one runs.

Yorkshire drew with the Rest of England.

Cricket in India.

Bombay, September 13.—The Presidency in their first innings scored 220. The Parsees in the second innings scored 175, and the Presidency eleven won by four wickets.

M. Pelletan's Indiscretions.

Calcutta, September 19.—The London correspondent of the *English-man*, telegraphing on the 18th instant, states that M. Pelletan's mock heroics have been the subject of conversation in international circles. The general feeling is one of unconcealed amusement. One German newspaper openly hints at absinthe as the prime cause of the outbreak. In France the incident has caused a good deal of annoyance. The speeches have placed the the Government in a highly embarrassing position. This applies especially to M. Delcassé. It is supposed that the result will be that M. Pelletan's colleagues will press for his early retirement.

London, September 17.—While deploring such recklessness, British and German papers decline to take M. Pelletan seriously. Some compare him to General Boulanger and Tartarin de Tarascon. The very wildness of his language deprives the utterance of any significance. The British papers sympathise with M. Delcassé, the success of whose assiduous efforts in the direction of closer relations with Italy are jeopardized.

Roumania and the Jews.

The United States has forwarded to the Powers signatory to the Treaty of Berlin, whereby the Balkan States were created, an identical Note protesting, in the name of humanity, against Roumania's treatment of the Jews, whose condition is a matter of grave concern to the United States, which cannot be taken as a party to international wrong.

The Note appeals to the Powers to enforce the stipulations of the Treaty of Berlin. The United States is not a signatory thereto, but the action of Roumania has effectively joined the United States to the signatories as an interested party.

Russia and Tibet.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the *Globe* sends the text of an alleged treaty between Russia and China on the subject of Tibet, according to which the contracting Powers bind themselves to common action in case of any third Power stirring up disorder in Tibet, which is gradually to become independent. Russia is to train the Tibetan forces with this end in view, while China develops the economic resources of the country. Complete freedom for the Russian and Tibetan religions is guaranteed.

There is no confirmation of the foregoing; the news is dubious.

The Polish Jews.

September 14.—An anti-Semitic outbreak has occurred at Czenstochown, which is the pilgrim resort in Russian Poland. The mob stormed the Jewish shops, and it is reported that fourteen Jews were killed and a number injured. The Military were summoned.

Obituary.

Calcutta, September 15.—The death is announced of Mr Henry Riversdale Grenfell, director of the Bank of England.

The Negus, G.C.B.

London, September 19—King Menelik has been gazetted to the Grand Cross of the Bath.

The Portuguese Royal Prince Acquitted.

The Prince of Braganza, who was placed on his trial on a serious criminal charge, has been acquitted.

D. O. S. for Aro.

Captain Gordie, of the Royal Horse Artillery, formerly of Dinapur, has been awarded the Distinguished Service Order for service in the Aro Expedition in Southern Nigeria.

A Gouldie Case in Vienna.

A sensational affair has occurred at Vienna, recalling the Goudie case. Jellinek, a cashier's clerk of the Laender Bank, disappeared yesterday, prior to an examination of his accounts, which revealed defalcations of over a quarter of a million sterling. Jellinek was involved in big Bourse transactions, and manipulated cheques and falsified entries.

The Outbreak of Glanders in the Transvaal.

The outbreak of glanders in horses and cattle in the Transvaal has reached an acute stage, and radical measures are necessary in order to prevent the crippling of the measures for the agricultural re-settlement of the country.

South Italy and its Condition.

The Italian Premier has arrived at Naples, prior to his tour in the Southern Provinces in order to study the economic situation with a view to the industrial and commercial development of Italy.

To-day's Advertisements

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW.

THE Company's Steamship THALES, Captain ROBSON, will be despatched for the above Port on TUESDAY, the 7th October, at 9 o'clock a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., *General Managers.*
Hongkong, October 4, 1902. 2039

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS.

SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

THE Company's Steamship ERNEST SIMONS, Captain DUPUY FROMY, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW MORNING, at 8 o'clock a.m.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, *Agent.*
Hongkong, October 4, 1902. 1980

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Calling at QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.)

THE Steamship AIRLIE, Captain ST. JOHN GEORGE, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 23rd October, at Noon.

This well-known Steamer is specially fitted for Passengers, and has a Refrigerating Chamber which ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions, Ice, &c., throughout the voyage.

This Steamer is installed throughout with the Electric Light.

A Stewardess and a duly-qualified Surgeon are carried.

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INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Co.'s Steamship *Laisang* having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 p.m. the 7th Inst., will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godowns at EAST POINT.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., *General Managers.*
Hongkong, October 4, 1902. 2040

Entertainments.

THEATRE ROYAL.
CITY HALL.
TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT!!
THE NEILL-FRAWLEY COMPANY
IN
'SECRET SERVICE'
MONDAY NIGHT, 'LORD and LADY ALGY,'
Hongkong, October 4, 1902. 2043

To-day's Advertisements

Y. M. C. A., HONGKONG.

LECTURES on FIRST AID and NURSING will be kindly given by Dr LAING, Assist. Superintendent, Government Civil Hospital,
On TUESDAYS at 5.30 p.m., at ST. PAUL'S COLLEGE,
Commencing OCTOBER 14.

All who wish to join are asked to send their names at once to Miss EYRE, C. M. House. Fee for Course $3.
Hongkong, October 4, 1902. 2043

WANTED.

FOR GENTLEMAN, UNFURNISHED BEDROOM, with verandah. Near Queen's Road Central preferred.
Apply 'B. E.,' Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office.
Hongkong, October 4, 1902. 2046

PUBLIC AUCTION.

MR H. N. MODY has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, in One Lot, on

TUESDAY,

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A VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY
Situate between
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The Property consists of

SECTION A. AND THE REMAINING PORTION OF MARINE LOT No. 2 and MARINE LOT No. 2A. The property is held for the residue of a term of 981 years from the 25th June, 1861, at the annual Crown Rent for both Lots of $310.84, and consists of the following premises:—

MARINE LOT No. 2A.—No. 6, Des Vœux Road Central: Ground Floor let on a tenancy expiring on the 28th February, 1907, at the yearly rent of $3,900 plus taxes. Tenant doing internal repairs.

First Floor and Godown at rear. In the occupation of Messrs. D. Sassoon and Company, Limited. Monthly tenancy at $600 a month

Second Floor: Partly let on a tenancy expiring on the 31st August, 1903, at the yearly rent of $4,440 plus taxes and partly let on a tenancy also expiring on the 31st August 1903, at the yearly rent of $960 plus taxes. Tenants doing internal repairs.

Various offices over the Godown at the rear let or monthly tenancies bringing in a yearly rental of $1,800.

MARINE LOT No. 2 SECTION A.—No. 11, Queen's Road Central. Let on lease expiring on the 31st December, 1911, at the yearly rent of $9,000 plus taxes. Tenant doing internal repairs.

THE REMAINING PORTION OF MARINE LOT No. 2.—This Remaining Portion consists of a strip of ground between the two Lots part of which is let on a monthly tenancy at $20 a month, and of another strip between Section A. and Section B. of Marine Lot No. 2 which is subject to a right of way.

The Property will be sold according to a Plan which can be seen at the office of the undersigned.

Particulars and Conditions of Sale may be obtained from

MESSRS. DEACON & HASTING.
10, Queen's Road,
Vendors' Solicitors.
Hongkong, October 4, 1902. 2048

THE KING EDWARD HOTEL.

WILL OPEN
ON
Monday Next, October 6th.

Hongkong, October 4, 1902. 2042

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP *ERNEST SIMONS.*

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from LONDON ex s.s. *Dour*, in connection with above Steamer are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks into the Godowns of the HONGKONG KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, LTD, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 5 p.m. TO-DAY requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be contersigned by the undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after SATURDAY, the 11th Inst., at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the 11th Inst., or they will not be recognized.

All damaged packages will be examined on SATURDAY, the 11th Inst., at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, *Agent.*
Hongkong, October 4, 1902. 2044

To-day's Advertisements

EUROPEAN BAKERY,
142, PRAYA EAST, HONGKONG;
25, ELGIN ROAD, KOWLOON.

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT, Messrs WEISMANN and Co. beg to inform the public that they have taken over the above Bakery, and Customers may depend on all orders intrusted to them having prompt and personal attention.

Agent, Anglo-American Store, Wellington Street.
Hongkong, October 4, 1902. 2045

AN
Organ Recital
WILL BE GIVEN IN THE
UNION CHURCH,
by
MR GEORGE GRIMBLE
on
MONDAY NEXT, 6TH OCTOBER,
AT 5.30 P.M.

VOCALISTS—MRS. MUDIE and MISS RAMSAY.

PROGRAMME.

1.—Grand Offertoire in F .....*E. Batiste.*
2.—Soprano and Contralto Duetts,
(a) 'The Angel,' .....
(b) 'The Wanderer's Night Song,' ..... } *Rubenstein.*
Mrs MUDIE and Miss RAMSAY.
3.—Grand Chorus, ...*H. A. Wheeldon.*
4.—Contralto Recit, 'And he journeyed with Companions towards Damascus'
Aria 'But the Lord is mindful of His own,' (From the Oratorio 'St. Paul.') } *Mendelssohn.*
Miss RAMSAY.
5.—(a) 'Berceuse'.....*F. Dreyschock.*
(b) 'Salut D'Amour,' (Liebesgrus), ... } *E. Elgar.*
6.—Soprano Solo, 'Ave Maria,' ..... } *Bach-Gounod.*
7.—Prelude—Intermezzo, from 'Suite to Henry VIII.....' } *Edward German.*
Arranged for the Organ by C. F. A. Sangster, Esq.

Nos. 3 and 5 are edited and arranged for the Organ by E. Lemare.

A Collection will be taken in aid of the Organ Fund.
Hongkong, October 4, 1902. 2035

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35, ELGIN ROAD, KOWLOON.

MESSRS WEISMANN, & Co.

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The work is under European supervision, and people can be insured to have wholesome and well baked Bread as they had at home. All our Bread will be stamped E B C

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" Eight " p. lb Brown Bread.
Hongkong, October 4, 1902. 1702

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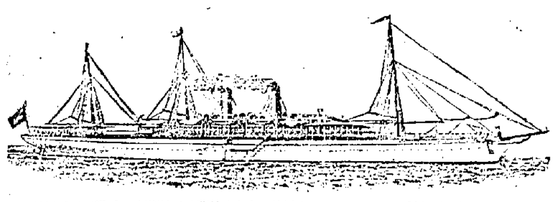
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R.M.S. *TARTAR* * .....Comdr. E. BEETHAM, R.N.R....WEDNESDAY, Dec. 3.
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PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

Steamers.	Destinations.	Sailing Dates.
SHINANO MARU, M. J. CURNOW,	VICTORIA, B.C., and SEATTLE, U.S.A., Via SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA.	MONDAY, 6th Oct., at 4 p.m.
MIIKE MARU, M. YAGI,	MOJI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA.	TUESDAY, 7th Oct., at noon.
WAKASA MARU, J. B. MACMILLAN,	KOBE and YOKOHAMA.	FRIDAY, 10th Oct., Daylight.
HIROSHIMA MARU, T. MURAI,	SINGAPORE, COLOMBO and BOMBAY.	FRIDAY, 10th Oct., at Noon.
IDZUMI MARU, F. W. HORTON,	SINGAPORE and BOMBAY.	FRIDAY, 17th Oct., at Noon.
KAMAKURA MARU, H. PETERSEN,	MARSEILLES, LONDON, and ANTWERP, *Via* SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO and PORT SAID.	SATURDAY, 18th Oct., at Daylight
TOSA MARU, H. CHRISTIANSEN,	VICTORIA, B.C., and SEATTLE, U.S.A., Via SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA.	MONDAY, 20th Oct., at 4 p.m.
KANAGAWA MARU, J. MACKENZIE,	KOBE and YOKOHAMA.	FRIDAY, 24th, Oct., Daylight.

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A. S. Mihara *Manager.*

Hongkong, October 4, 1902. 779

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OUTWARDS.

FROM	STEAMERS	DUE
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	AGAMEMNON	6th October.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	DEUCALION	16th October.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	PATROCLUS	24th October.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	STENTOR	30th October.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	TANTALUS	8th November.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	ALCINOUS	13th November.

The S. S. AGAMEMNON left Singapore on the 1st inst., and is due here on 6th inst.

HOMEWARDS.

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
LONDON	NESTOR	14th October.
LIVERPOOL DIRECT, (Taking Cargo at LONDON Rates),	MACHAON	15th October.
LONDON	ACHILLES	28th October.
LONDON	MENELAUS	11th November.
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LONDON	AGAMEMNON	25th November.

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OUTWARDS.

FROM	STEAMERS	DUE
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	YANGTSZE	29th October.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	TEFNGAI	19th November.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	NOYUNE	27th November.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	OOPACK	10th December.

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CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

FOR	STEAMER	TO SAIL
MANILA	SUNGKIANG *	9th October.
TIENTSIN	KWEIYANG	11th October.
THURSDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN, CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE	TAIYUAN * ‡ §	23rd October.

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Steamers.	Sailing Dates.
PREUSSEN	WEDNESDAY, 15th October.
HAMBURG *	WEDNESDAY, 29th October.
SACHSEN	WEDNESDAY, 12th November.
GERA	WEDNESDAY, 26th November.
KIAUTSCHOU *	WEDNESDAY, 10th December.
BAYERN	WEDNESDAY, 24th December.
KONIG ALBERT	WEDNESDAY, 7th Jan., 1903.
PRINZESS IRENE	WEDNESDAY, 21st Jan., 1903.
DARMSTADT	WEDNESDAY, 4th Feb., 1903.

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LONDON	*Glenshiel* †	J. MACGILLIVRAY	Noon, 17th Oct.
Y'MA VIA S'HAI, MOJI AND KOBE.	*Tientsin* †	W. W. COOKE, R.N.R.	About 21st Oct.

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P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, October 4, 1902. 26

OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

For	Steamer	Leaving
TAMSUI, Via SWATOW AND AMOY,	*DAIGI MARU* T. KITANO	SUNDAY, 5th October.
FOOCHOW, Via SWATOW AND AMOY,	*ANPING MARU*, K. SUDZUKI,	WEDNESDAY, 8th October.
TAMSUI, Via SWATOW AND AMOY,	*DAIJIN MARU*, T. OGATA,	SUNDAY, 12th October.
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HILLGLEN* .....About 4th Oct.
RICHMOND CASTLE About 12th Oct.
LOTHIAN.....About 20th Oct.
LOWTHER CASTLE..About 30th Oct.
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ORONO.....To Follow.
CROYDON..... "

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Hongkong, October 1, 1902. 110

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G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

Hongkong, September 23, 1902. 194

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA.

THE Company's Steamship LOONGSANG, Captain G. S. WEIGALL, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 7th October, at 4 p.m.

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Hongkong, October 2, 1902. 2014

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Hongkong, September 29, 1902. 1990

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THE Company's Steamship ERNEST SIMONS, Captain DUPUY FROMY, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about SATURDAY Next, the 4th October.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

Hongkong, September 27, 1902. 1930

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship HAITAN, Captain ROACH, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 5th Inst., at Daylight.

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DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, October 2, 1902. 2028

STEAM FOR SAIGON.

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Hongkong, October 1, 1902. 2015



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P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, September 27, 1902. 1978

'GLEN LINE OF STEAMSHIPS.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship GLENESK, Captain RAFFERTY, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 11th October, 1902.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

McGREGOR BROS. & GOW.

Hongkong, September 22, 1902. 1938

'BEN' LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR GENOA AND LONDON.

THE Steamship BENLARIG, Captain KROBLE, will be despatched as above on or about MONDAY, the 20th October.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, September 30, 1902. 2005

Notices to Consignees.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship *HAMBURG*, OF THE HAMBURG AMERIKA LINIE, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 6 p.m., to-night.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after 10th Inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined on Thursday, the 9th Instant, at 9.30 a.m.

All Claims must reach us before the 12th Instant, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned.

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Hongkong, October 3, 1902. 2032



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Notices to Consignees.

'BARBER' LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. *BORDER KNIGHT*,
FROM NEW YORK, STRAITS AND MANILA.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 9th Inst., will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 10th Oct., or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 9th Oct., at 3 P.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

DODWELL & Co., LTD.,
Agents.

Hongkong, October 2, 1902. 2029

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER *JAVA*

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PORT SAID, SUEZ AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed *at their risk* in the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S GODOWNS at Kowloon where each Consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 4 p.m. TO-DAY.

Goods not cleared by the 8th Inst., at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns, and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company, who will survey goods at 11 a.m. on TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS. Certificates of damage must be obtained within ten days of the vessel's arrival here, after which no Claims will be recognised.

E. A. HEWETT,
Superintendent.

Hongkong, October 2, 1902. 2017

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

'GLEN' LINE OF STEAMERS.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

THE Company's Steamship *Glenartney* having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Goods not cleared by the 5th Sept., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns, and a certificate of the Damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the steamers' arrival, after which no Claims will be recognised.

McGREGOR BROS. & GOW.

Hongkong, September 29, 1902. 1996

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE

THE H. A. L. Steamship *Saxonia*, Capt. JAGER, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-day.

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 8th Oct. will be subject to rent.

All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 8th Oct., at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE,
Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, October 1, 1902. 2009

'BEN' LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP *BENARTY*
FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG and KOWLOON WHARF and GODOWN COMPANY, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 7th Inst., will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 31st Inst., or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 7th Inst., at 11 a.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, October 2, 1902 2016

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THE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS of the above Society in Hongkong, are prepared to issue POLICIES against FIRE on the usual terms.

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Authorised Capital.....	£3,000,000	0	0
Subscribed Capital.....	£2,750,000	0	0
Paid-up Capital	£687,500	0	0
Fire Funds	£2,695,548	5	2

HAVING been appointed AGENTS of the above Company we are prepared to accept EUROPEAN and CHINESE RISKS at Current Rates.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, July 2, 1902. 1537

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Hongkong, March 31, 1900 738

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On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

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For 3 months 2½ per cent per annum.
,, 6 ,, 3½ ,, ,,
,, 12 ,, 4 ,, ,,

J. R. M. SMITH,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, September 15, 1902. 366

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INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 3½ PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of $100 or more to the ONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,
J. R. M. SMITH,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 1, 1900. 1517

THE
YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED,
ESTABLISHED 1880.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED ...	Yen	24,000,000
CAPITAL PAID-UP	,,	18,000,000
CAPITAL UNCALLED ...	,	6,000,000
RESERVE FUND	,,	9,010,000

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On Current Account at the Rate of 2% per annum on the daily balance.
On fixed deposits for 12 months, 5% per annum.
On fixed deposits for 6 months, 4% per annum.
On fixed deposits for 3 months, 3% per annum.

TARO HODSUMI,
Manager.

Hongkong, September 22, 1902. 589

IMPERIAL BANK OF CHINA.

ESTABLISHED BY IMPERIAL DECREE OF THE 12TH NOVEMBER, 1896.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, ...	Tls.	5,000,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL, ...	,,	2,500,000

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On Fixed Deposits for 3 Months ... 3%
,, ,, 6 ,, ... 4%
,, ,, 12 ,, ... 5%

E. W. RUTTER,
Manager.

Hongkong, January 18, 1901. 1970

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL,.....£1,000,000.
PAID UP CAPITAL, ...£ 324,374.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

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Hongkong, May 3. 1901. 117

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL.....£1,500,000
SUBSCRIBED £1,125,000
PAID UP.....£ 562,500
RESERVE FUND.....£ 50,000

BANKERS:
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INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—
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,, 6 ,, ...3½ %
,, 3 .....2½ %

EVAN ORMISTON,
Acting Manager.

Hongkong, April 1. 1902. 234

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On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 4 %
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,, ,, ,, 3 ,, 2½ %

T. P. COCHRANE,
Acting Manager.

Hongkong, June 2, 1902. 846

DEUTSCH-ASIATISCHE BANK.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, S'hai Tls. 5,000,000.

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H. SCHOTTLÆNDER,
Manager.

Hongkong, September 6. 1902. 296

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N. G. EVANS,
Acting Manager.

Hongkong, October 2, 1902. 1364

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Butcher Meat. 肉食

	lb	
Beef sirloin & prime cut—Moi Lung Pa ...	lb	16
,, Corned—Ham Ngau Yuk	,,	16
,, Roast,—Shiu ,, ,, ...	,,	16
,, Soup,—Tong Yuk	,,	12
,, Steak,—Ngan Yuk Pa	,,	16
,, Sausages,—Ngau Yuk Chaung ...	,,	15
Bullock's Brains,—,, Know ... per set		8
,, Tongue fresh,—Ngau Li each		45
,, ,, corned—Ham Ngau Li ,,		50
,, Head,—Ngau Tau	,,	50
,, Heart,—Ngau Sum	lb.	9
,, Hump, Salt—Ngau Kin ...	,,	12
,, Feet,—Ngau Kerk ... each		5
,, Kidneys,—Ngau Yiu	,,	8
,, Tail—Ngau Mei	,,	16
,, Liver,—Ngau Con	lb.	9
,, Tripe (undressed)—Ngau To ...	,,	5
Calves' Head and Feet—Ngau-chai-tau-kak, set		75
Mutton Chop,—Yeung Pai Kwat ...	lb.	22
,, Leg,—Yeung Pei	,,	22
,, Shoulder,—Yeung Shau	,,	20
Pigs' Chitlings—Chi chong	,,	7
,, Feet,—Chi Kerk	,,	12
,, Fry,—Chi Chak	,,	12
,, Head,—Chi Tau	,,	14
,, Heart,—Chi Sum ... ... each		9
,, Kidneys,—Chi Yiu	,,	6
,, Liver,—Chi Con	lb.	21
Pork, Chop,—Chi Pai Kwat	,,	18
,, Corned,—Ham Chu Yuk	,,	18
,, Leg,—Chu Pei	,,	18
,, Fat or Lard,—Chu Yau	,,	15
Sheeps' Head and Feet,—Yeung Tau Kerk set		50
,, Heart,—Yeung Sum ... each		6
,, Kidneys,—Yeung Yiu ...	,,	8
,, Liver,—Yeung Con	lb.	22
Sucking Pigs, To Order—Chu Chai ...	,,	16
Suet, Beef,—Sang Ngau Yau	,,	15
,, Mutton,—Sang Yeung Yau	,,	22
Veal,—Ngau Chai Yuk		16
,, Sausages,—Ngau Chai Yuk Tong ...	,,	15

Poultry. 生口

	lb	
Chicken,—Kai Chai		20
Capons, Large, Small,—Sin Kai		22
Ducks,—Ap		15
Doves,—Pan Kau ... ... each		15
Eggs, Hen—Kai Tan... ... per 100		$1.80
Fowls, Canton,—Kai		20
,, Hainan,—Nam Hoi Kai		18
Geese,—Ngoi		24
Geese, Wild Sh'ai,—Sheung Kai Yer Ngoi, pair		—
Musk Deer,—Wong Keng ... each		—
Hare,—Tu Chai		—
Partridge,—Che Khoo		50
Pheasant,—Shan Kai ... ... pair		—
Pigeons, Canton,—Pak Kup ... each		22
,, Hoihow,—Hoi How Pak Kup. ...		21
Quail,—Um-Chun ... ... each		10
Rice Birds,—Wo Fa Cheuk ... dozen		45
Snipe,—Sa-Chui		20
Turkeys, Cock,—Phor Kai Kung		50
,, Hen,— ,, ,, Na		40
Wild Ducks, Shanghai,—Shanghai Sui-ap pair		—
Teal,—Sui Ap Chai, ...		60

Fish. 海鮮

	lb	
Barbel,—Ka Yu		13
Bream,—Bin Yu		11
Canton Fresh Water Fish,—Hoi Siu Yu ...		11
Carp,—Li Yu		12
Catfish,—Chik Yu		8
Codfish,—Mun Yu		9
Crabs,—Hai		13
Cuttle Fish,—Muk yu		12
Dab,—Sa Mang Yu		6
Dace,—Wong Mei Lun		8
Dog Fish—Tit Tu Sa		7
Eels, Conger,—Hai Manu		14
,, Fresh water,—Tam Siu Yu		11
Eels, Yellow, —Wong Siu		16
Frogs,—Tien Kai		20
Garoupa,—Sek Pan		43
Gudgeon,—Pak Kup Yu		12
Herrings,—Tso Pak		13
Halibut,—Cheung Kwan Y		13
Labrus,—Wong Fa Yu		15
Loach,—Wu Yu		14
Lobsters,—Lung Ha		16
Mackerel,—Chi Yu		12
Monk Fish,—Mon Yu		16
Mullet,—Chai Yu		14
Oysters,—Sang Hoe		—
Par otfish,—Kai Kung Yu		10
Perch,—Tau Loo		12
Pike,—Fa Paw Poong		7
Plaice,...—Pan Yu		14
Pomfret, Black,—Hak Chong		16
Pomfret, White,—Pak Chong		24
Prawns,—Ming Ha		24
Ray,—Pei Pa Sa		7
Rock Fish,—Sek Kau Kung		14
Roach,—Chun Yu		12
Salmon,—Ma Yau Yu		24
Shark,—Sa Yu		8
Skate,—Po Yu		7
Shrimps,—Ha		14
Snapper,—Lap Yu		16
Soles,—Tat Sa Yu		15
Tench,—Wan Yu		11
Turbot,—Cho How Yu		14
Turtles, small, fresh water,—Kerk Yu ...		34
White Bait,—Ngan Yu C		12

Fruits. 菓子

	lb	
Almonds,—Hung Yan		20
Apples, (California)—Kam San Ping Khor		—
,, (Chefoo)—Tin Chun Ping Khor...		—
,, Small,—Hoi Tong		8
,, Custard,—Fan Lai Chi ... ...each		6
Bananas, fragrant, Canton,—San Shing Heung Chiu		4
Bananas, (brides), Macao—San Heung Chiu		3
Chestnuts, Chinese,—Foong Lut		12
Carambola,—Yeung Tao		8
Cocoanuts,—Yeh Tsz... ... ...each		7
Grapes,—Sin Tai Tsz...		20
Lemons, China—Ning Moong		8
Lichees, Dried—Lai Chi Con		12
Limes, (Saigon)—Sai Kung Ning Moong...each		8
Mango, Manila—Lui Sung Mong ... ... ,,		—
Mango, Saigon—Sai Kung Moong... ... ,,		—
Man osteens,—San Chuk Tsz ... dozen		—
Oranges, (Canton)—San Shing Tim Chang		5
,, Small,—Tai Kut		—
,, Mandarin,—Tim Kut		—
Olives,—Pak Lam ... ... lb		4
Pears, (American),—Kam San Shut Li ...		—
,, (Canton), Cooking,—Sa Li		—
,, (Shanghai),—Sheung Hai Li ...		12
Peanuts,—Fa Sang		10
Persimmons Large,—Hung Chie		6
Pine-apples, 1st quality,—Sheung Poon Ti Paw Law ... ... each		—
,, 2nd cocking—Chung-tang-paw-law ,,		—
Plantains,—Tai Cheu		2
Pumelo, Siam,—Chim Lo Yau ... ... ,,		10
Walnuts,—Hop Tuo		10

Vegetables, &c. 菜蔬

	lb	
Artichokes, Shanghai—Sheung Hai Ah Chi Cheuk		—
Beans, (French), Macao,—Oh Moon Pin Ta		—
,, (French), Shanghai,—Sheung Hai Pin Tau		16
,, Sprout,—Ah Choi		3
,, Long,—Tau Kok		12
Beet Root,—Hung Choi Tau ... each		2
Brinjals, Green,—Ching Yuen Ker ...		—
,, Red,—Hung Ker...		4
Brassica,—Pak Choi...		3
Bamboo Shoots,—Cheuk Shun		8
Cabbage, Chinese, com.—Kai Choy ...		4
Cabbage Root,—Kai Lan Tau ... each		—
Cabbage, (Shanghai).—Yeh Choi ... ,,		12
Cane Shoots, bunch,—Kau Shun ... ,,		3
Cauliflower, Large size,—Tai Yuk Choi-fa, each		—
,, Medium size,—Cheung Yeh Choi-fa ,,		—
,, Small size,—Sai Yeh Choi Fa ... ,,		—
Carrots,—Kam Shun		16
Celery, Chinese,—Tong Kan Choi ...		12
,, English,—Yeung ,, ,, ...		—
,, White,—Pak ,, ,, ...		—
Chilies Dried,—Con Lai Chi		15
,, Red,—Hung Fa ,, ...		8
,, Green,—Ching Lat Chiu		6
Curry Stuff, English, Ka Lee Choi Liu...		6
Cucumbers,—Ching Kwa		6
Bitter Squash,—Fu Kwa		5
Garlic,—Suen Tau		8
Ginger, young,—Sun Tsz Keung		5
,, old,—Lo Keung		6
Horse Radish, S'hai—Lik Kau		20
Indian Corn,—Suk Mai ... ... piece		3
Lettuce,—Yeung Sang Choi ... each		1
Water Chesnuts,—Ma Tai ... ... ,,		4
,, Mandarin—Kwei Lung Ma Tai, ,,		8
Mushrooms, Fresh—Sang Cho Kho ...		—
Onions, Bombay,—Yeung Ching au ...		8
,, Green,—Sang Chung		6
,, Shanghai,—Sheung Hai Chung Tau		7
,, Japan,—Yut Poon ,, ,,		7
Okroes,—Mo Ker...		10
Parsley, English,—Yeung Un Sai ...		1
Green Peas,—Ching Tau		—
Potatoes, Sweet,—Fan Shu		3
,, Shanghai,—Sheung Hai Shu Tsai		2
,, Japan,—Yut Poon Shu Tsai ...		—
,, American,—Fa Ki ,, ,, ...		—
,, Foochow,—Fuk Chau hu Tsai		—
,, Macao,—Oh Moon ,,		—
Pumpkin,—Toong Kwa		3
Radish,—Hung Lo Pak Tsai ... dozen		2
Shalots,—Con Chung Tau		10
Spinage, (Chinese)—Paw Choi		—
Spinach,—Yin Choi		3
Tomatoes,—Fan Ke		7
Taros,—Wu Tau		3
Turnips, Punti, (Long),—Low Pak ...		4
,, English,—Jeung Low Pak piece		—
Vegetable Marrow,—Chit Kwa		6
Waters Cresses,—Sai Yeung Choi ...		1
Yams,—Tai Shu		3

ROBERT G. MCEWEN,
Inspector in charge of Markets.

CHURCH SERVICES.

St. John's Cathedral.

ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE, 19TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5.

Matins (11 a.m.):—Responses, Ferial; Venite, Stanley; Psalms, Barnby, Goss, and Foster; Te Deum, Calkin in D; Benedictus, Turle in F (11th M.); Anthem, 'Call to remembrance, O Lord,' Farrant; Hymn, 207, Kyrie, Schubert in E flat; Offertory Hymn, 256.

Evensong (5.45 p.m.):—Responses, Ferial; Psalms, Macfarren and Hopkins; Magnificat, Hawes in E (13th E.); Nunc Dimittis, Kelway in D (3rd M.); Hymns, 540, 281, and 260; Vesper Hymn, Steane.

Union Church.

11 a.m.:—Sanctus, No. 555; Camidge, Hymn, No. 268 (St. George), Gauntlett; Anthem, No. 1 'Holy is the Lord our God,' Abbé Vogler; Psalm, No. 22 (Double Chant), Wesley; Hymn, 226 (Quam Dilecta), Jenner; Hymn, No. 212 (Innocents), Old Litany.

6 p.m.:—Hymn, No. 2 (Regent Square), Smart; Hymn, No. 27 (St. Saviour), Baker; Hymn No. 474 (Fortitude), Palmer; Hymn, No. 567 (from Songs and Solos); Hymn, No. 495 (Franconia) German.

Wesleyan Methodist Church, Wanchai.

Morning:—10.15 Evening:—6.

St Peter Seamen's Church, West Point.

Matins 11 a.m.:—Venite, Stainer; Te Deum, Hayes; Jubilate, Camidge; Hymns, 8, 4, 362, and 368, Kyrie.
Holy Communion:—12.30.
Evensong, 6.30 p.m.:—Magnificat, Goss; Nunc Dimittis, Barnby; Hymns, 513, 492, 387 and 388.

The Mission launch *Day-prong* will call the ships between 9.30 and 10.30 a.m. and between 5.30 and 6 p.m. to bring men ashore to the services; returning afterwards. (Kowloon Police Pier at 10.30 and 6). The 'answering pennant' is the call flag. All seats free. Strangers welcome.

Gospel Hall, 6 Arsenal Street.

Meetings are held as follows:—
Sunday:—Acts 2.42, 11 a.m. Gospel Address, 6 p.m.
Tuesday:—Soldiers' & Sailors' Bible Class, 6 p.m.
Thursday:—General Bible Class, 6 p.m.
Saturday:—Prayer Meeting, 6 p.m.

Naval Depot, Kowloon.

Sunday Service:—6 p.m.

Peak Church.

8 a.m.:—Holy Communion.

VISITORS AT HOTELS.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

Mr C. H. Allen — Mr and Mrs Joseph, E.S.
Mr W. S. Bailey — Mr E. A. Katsch
Mr M. Balliste — Mrs & Miss Kelly
Mr F. C. Barlow — Mr R. D. Kinmond
Mr B. J. Barlow — Mr H. Krebs
Mr John Barreth — Mr J. E. Lee
Miss A. Bates — Mr T. R. Lewis
Mr H. C. Bates — Mr & Mrs Lewis
Mrs Bates and maid — Mr G. Mackie
Mr J. T. Bell — Mr D. Mann
Mr Black — Mr Mad Marquey
Mr & Mrs R. Boggan — Mr P. McCoy
Mr A. Bonner — Mr & Mrs Milton
Mr F. F. Bovet — Mr and Mrs E. O. Murphy
Dr Bower — Mr C. J. North, R.N.
Mr F. W. Bower — Miss A. Noth
MissMary Van Buren — Mr and Mrs David Oliver
Major Buttanshaw — Mrs Osborne
Hon. Dr F. Clerk — Mr E. Pallette
Mr W. J. Clarke — Mr H. S. Perry
Mr G. E. Cole — Mr H. Pilkington
Mr J. S. Colson — Mr James Pinnock
Dr J. M. Crago — Mr J. Racine
Mrs. Delimoges and family — Mr J. Rankin
Miss E. Dennison — Mr W. S. Reamer
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Mrs Dick — Capt. C. Ryder
Mr T. C. Downing — Mr C. Schouw
Mr and Mrs Dutton — Mr & Mrs Schwartz
Miss Dutton — Mr E. A. Selanders
Mr F. W. Edward — Mr C. Skott
Mr E. Elizalde — Mr E. A. Snowin
Mr F. Esrom — Mr W. E. O. Stanford
Mr N. G. Evans — Mrs Stewarh
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Mr W. C. Finley — Mr M. S. Stone
Mr H. G. Fisher — Miss Fox Strangways
Mr A. D. Gibbs — Dr Strebel
Miss H. Gibbs — Mr G. F. Taylor
Mr A. Girnault — Mr O. Terkelsen
Mr C. Glover — Mr L. J. Thomas
Mr R. Goldman — Dr J. C. Thomson
Mr H. E. Goldsmith — Mr F. Vida
Mr J. Grant — Mr Walton
Mr C. S. Hall — Mr & Mrs H. Warren
Mrs A. Hayns — Mr G. A. Watkin
Mr A. Hayter — Mr A. H. Wheeler
Mr R. G. Heckford — Mr W. J. G. Whiley
Mr F. W. Hills — Mrs A. M. Whitton
Mr A. Hollingsworth — Mr A. J. Williams
Mr T. Howard — Mr J. A. Wilson
Mr & Mrs N. Huke — Mr and Mrs C. E. Woolmer
Dr W. Hunter — Mr & Mrs Wright.
Mr & Mrs R. Irwnie and baby
Mr E. Johannsen

PEAK HOTEL.

Mr Douglas Abbey — Mr H. U. Jeffries
Mr Andrew Beattie — Major H. S. King, R.E.
Sir Henry Berkeley — Mr C. Koch
Major A. W. Bewley — Mr G. C. Lindsay Grant
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Miss R. Bottenheim — Mr E. Lüders
Mr Ralph A. Brabazon — Mr R. Marten
Mr H. F. R. Brayne — Mr A. P. B. McDermott
Col. L. F. Brown, R.E. — Mr J. F. Miller
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Lieut.-Colonel & Mrs Ferrier, A.P.D. — Mrs S. A. Skelton
Mr A. Finke — Rev. & Mrs W. J. Southam
Mr Andrew Forbes — Mr W. O. C. Spalckhaver
Major G. A. French, A.S.C. — Mr A. G. Stokes
Mr C. F. George Grimble — Mr Paul Stoppa
Mr Alan S. Hawkesworth — Mrs Wm. H. Taft, family and maid
Mr S. Hebden — Mr C. Thiel
Lieut Col. and Mrs T. Heron and child — Mr J. S. Thomson
Mr G. O. Heron — Mrs W. Wilson and child
Capt. H. B. Hollinshead, R.A. — Mrs Ulick Wintour
Mrs Jeffrey

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

October 3.

Carl Diederichsen, German steamer, 774, G. Schlaikjer, Haiphong September 29, and Hoihow Oct. 2, General.—JEBSEN & Co.

October 4.

Laisang, British str., 2,225, E. J. Tadd, Calcutta Sept. 18, and Singapore 28, General.—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Anping Maru, Japanese str., 1,053, J. Goto, Foochow, via Amoy and Swatow Oct. 3, General.—OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA.

Petchaburi, German steamer, 1,372, L. Ziegenbein, Bangkok Sept. 26, Rice and Teakwood.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Jacob Diederichsen, German steamer, 623, B. Ohlsen, Chefoo and Tsingtau Sept. 27, General.—JEBSEN & Co.

Ernest Simons, French steamer, 2,162, Dupuy Fromy, Marseilles and Saigon Oct. 1, Mails and General.—MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

Tyr, Norwegian steamer, 1,417, D. L. Danielsen, Hongay Oct. 1, Coal.—SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.

Phra Nang, German steamer, 1,029, P. Reimers, Koh-si-chang Sept. 27, Rice.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Foochow, British steamer, 1,248, H. Smale, Wuhu Sept. 30, Rice.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Shantung, German str., 1,0?4, M. Engelhardt, Manila Oct. 1, Ballast.—MELCHERS & Co.

Sungkiang, British steamer, 1,021, A. W. Outerbridge, Manila October 1, General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Toonan, Chinese str., from Canton.

Binhsang, British str., from Canton.

DEPARTURES.

October 4.

Hamburg, for Shanghai.
Ava Maru, for Singapore and London.
Hong Bee, for Amoy.
Mon Lok, for Bangkok.
Rajaburi, for Bangkok.
Doris, for Wuhu.
Rubi, for Manila.
Rein, for Bangkok.
Kumano Maru, for Sydney, &c.
Kersaint, French gunboat, for Tonkin.

CLEARED.

Daigi Maru, for Swatow.
Phra Chom Klao, for Swatow.
Paknam, for Bangkok.
Haitan, for Swatow.
Carl Diederichsen, for Hoihow.
Woosung, for Shanghai.
Wingsang, for Swatow.
Foochow, for Canton.
Tyr, for Canton.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

Per *Korea*, from San Francisco, &c., Mr and Mrs Gardner Crane, Mrs Chas. Stewart, Miss E. Stewart, Lieut.-Comdr. and Mrs J. F. Parker, Mrs A. C. Parke, Miss G. Parke, Mrs L. Z. Duke, Mrs J. L. Haynes, Mr and Mrs Wallace Shaw, Mrs C. E. Schmitt, Mr and Mrs L. A. Lewis, Mr and Mrs H. T. Dutton, Miss Dutton, Mrs A. M. Clay, Misses Van Buren, E. Dennison, H. Gibbs and Adele Nott, Hon. J. Barett and servant, Rev. A. Beaier, Capt. C. Ryder, Messrs Daniel Frawley, J. R. Amory, Herbert Ashton, Robert McGreer, Chauncey Southern, M. Davidson, E. C. Freed, A. D. Gibbs, A. Menn, R. J. McCord, B. and C. Roth, K. Ishisaka, T. Oka, K. Nii, Jeffrey Williams, Arthur Garrels, Roy Stepenson, W. C. Finley, Oscar Gorrell, Chas. L. Hall, W. S. Reamer, Frank Vida and J. J. Racine, and 247 Chinese.

Per *Laisang*, from Calcutta, &c., Messrs J. P. Herbert, C. J. McCarthy, Hagan Knight, and 540 Chinese.

Per *Ernest Simons*, for Hongkong: from Marseilles, Mr Gladin; from Singapore, Mr Huyech and servant, Capt. B. Roberts, Capt. J. M. Mactier, and Mr Goldenberg; from Saigon, Rev. Gendron Joseph and Merdrignac Jean, Mr R. Arima, and 265 Chinese.

DEPARTED.

Per *Eastern*, for Timor, Rev. M. B. de Jesus, and Lieut. A. G. da Silva; for Sydney, Misses Armour, Campbell and Burnett, Messrs Kennedy, Nelson, Perry and Pitcher.

Per *Hamburg*, from Hongkong: for Shanghai, Mr and Mrs W. C. Peech, Mrs O. Remedios and family, Mrs Sutherland, Mrs Schierhorst and child, Miss Hahn, Count Fernandez, Messrs S. Gryp, B. J. Tours, C. Georg, W. Schadd, P. Lobo, S. Silva, E. A. Grigson and G. Thornton; for Kobe, Mr and Mrs A. A. H. Botelho, Mr and Mrs A. A. H. Botelho, Jr., Mrs B. J. H. Botelho, Miss C. Botelho, Messrs B. Baldwin and T. Kakimoto; for Yokohama, Mr and Mrs de Waal, Mr Y. Elizalde, and Mrs G. Acebo and children.

Per *Ava Maru*, for London, &c., Mrs Mildred, Rev. and Mrs Chappell and child, Mrs E. H. Sandford, Mr and Mrs Holworth and 2 children, Mrs Kliene and 4 children, Mrs and Master Elwards, Mrs Denning and 3 children, Miss Barr, Dr O. S. Townsend, Capts. J. B. A. Grate, T. Yamagaki, K. Takunaga, K. Nakagawa, and K. Ugaki, Major Tamura, Mr Chas. H. Seymour, Misses Lily and Eva Seymour, Deaconess V. Hide, Messrs B. John, E. Fluess, C. F. Vincent, J. J. Smither, F. T. Reade, M. Nakayama, K. Yakabe, T. Sato, K. Iijima and K. Saejima.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer *Laisang* reports: From Singapore Sept. 28th, moderate wind and sea throughout.

The German steamer *Petchaburi* reports: Had a fair voyage from Bangkok to Cape Padaran, with variable winds and light sea; from Cape Padaran to port, had a strong wind, with rough sea and rain.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:—

For CANTON.—
Per *Powan*, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 5th October.

For KUMCHUK & SAMSHUI.—
Per *Tungkong*, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 5th October.

For SWATOW, SINGAPORE & BANGKOK.—
Per *Phra Chom Klao*, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 5th October.

For HAIPHONG.—
Per *Hoihao*, at 9 a.m., on Monday, the 6th October.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.—

The French Contract Packet *Oceanien* will be despatched on MONDAY, the 6th October, with Mails to the United Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and places beyond, *via Marseilles*; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape; Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.
Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m.
Registration at 10 a.m.
(Registration, with late fee of 10 cents, up to 10.45 a.m.)
Letters at 11 a.m.
Late Letters 11.10 to 11.30 a.m. Extra Postage 10 cents.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked *h.*, near the Kowloon shore *k.*, and those in the body of the Shipping of midway between each shore are marked *c.*, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.
3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's to the Market.
5. From The Market to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings.
8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.
9. From Kellet's Island to North Point.
10. Kowloon Wharves.
11. Jardine's Wharf.

Vessels' Names.	Anchorage.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons nett.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers.								
Amara	3 c	Mattock	British str.	1566	Oct. 2	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Anping Maru	3 c	Goto	Japan. str.	1?63	Oct. 4	Osaka Shosen Kaisha		
Athenian	4 c	Mowatt	British str.	3880	Sept. 28	C. P. R. Co.	Vancouver (B.C.)	Oct. 8.
Border Knight	k w	Splatt	British str.	3729	Oct. 2	Dodwell & Co., Ld.		
Borg	3 c	Mathisen	Norw str.	738	Oct. 1	Chinese		
Carl Diederichsen	3 c	Schlaikjer	Ger. str.	774	Oct. 3	Jebsen & Co.		
Chinkiang	2 c	Stringer	British str.	1241	Sept. 29	Butterfield & Swire		
Daigi Maru	3 c	Kitano	Japan. str	846	Oct. 1	Osaka Shosen Kaisha	Swatow & Tamsui	Oct. 5.
Doris	4 c	Jacobsen	Norw. str.	963	Sept. 30	Chinese		
Elita Nossack	3 c	Bruhn	Ger. str.	124	Sept. 29	E. A. Trading Co.		
Empress of China	5 c	Archibald	British str.	3003	Sept. 30	C. P. R. Co.	Vancouver (B.C.)	Oct. 22.
Ernest Simons	5 c	Fromy	French str.	2162	Oct. 4	Messageries Maritimes		
Gaelic	5 c	Finch	British str.	2862	Oct. 1	P. & O. S. S. Co.		
Hai-an	5 b	Roach	British str.	1183	Oct. 3	Douglas Steamship Co.	Swatow & Foochow	Oct. 5.
Hoihow	4 c	Merleus	French str.	509	Oct. 2	A. R. Marty	Haiphong	Oct. 6.
Hueian	3 c	Frazier	British str.	1148	Oct. 2	Butterfield & Swire		
Jacob Diederichsen	3 c	Ohlsen	Ger. str.	623	Oct. 4	Jebsen & Co.		
Kong Beng	3 c	Purpant	Ger. str.	862	Oct. 1	Butterfield & Swire		
Korea	4 c	Seabury	Amer. str.	5651	Oct. 3	P. M. S. S. Co.	S'hai & San F'cisco	Oct. 9.
Laisang	4 c	Tadd	British str.	2225	Oct. 4	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Loongsang	4 c	Weigall	British str	1092	Oct. 2	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Manila	Oct. 7.
Lyeemoon	3 c	Lehmann	Ger. str.	1238	Oct. 1	Siemssen & Co.		
Miike Maru	k w	Yagi	Japan. str.	2360	Oct. 3	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Kobe & Yokohama	Oct. 7.
Namsang	4 c	Payne	British str.	2519	Sept. 26	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	S'pore & Calcutta	Oct. 7.
Petchaburi	3 c	Ziegenbein	Ger. str.	1189	Oct. 4	Butterfield & Swire		
Phra Chom Klao	3 c	Bruhn	Ger. str.	1011	Sept. 29	Butterfield & Swire	Swatow & Bangkok	Oct. 5.
Phra Nang	3 c	Reimers	Ger. str.	1021	Oct. 4	Butterfield & Swire		
Quang-nam	3 c	Martino	French str.	649	Oct. 1	Bradley & Co.		
Rajaburi	3 c	Wendig	Ger. str.	1189	Sept. 28	Butterfield & Swire	Bangkok	Oct. 4.
Rosetta Maru	4 c	Tate	Japan. str.	2402	Oct. 2	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	Manila	Oct. 7.
Rubi	6 c	Almond	British str.	1611	Oct. 1	Shewan, Tomes & Co.		
Saga	3 c	Natvig	Norw. str.	696	Oct. 3	Chinese		
Shinano Maru	4 c	Curnow	Japan. str.	3960	Sept. 27	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	S'hai & Seattle	Oct. 6.
Sishan	3 c	Jones	British str.	849	Oct. 2	Bradley & Co.		
Sri Pontianak	5 c	Deans	Dutch str.	223	Sept. 16	Carlowitz & Co.		
Taifu	3 c	Menzell	Ger. str.	1?65	Oct. 2	Chinese		
Tyr	8 c	Danielsen	Norw. str.	1714	Oct. 4	Shewan, Tomes & Co.		
Paknam	2 c	Demes	Ger. str.	1250	Sept. 30	Chinese		
Toonan	3 c	Barlow	Chi. str.	959	Oct. 4	C. M. S. N. Co.		
Wingsang	3 c	Sellar	British str	1517	Oct. 4	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Wosung	4 c	Dawson	British str.	1030	Sept. 26	Butterfield & Swire		
Zvir	8 c	Brandich	Aus. str.	2103	Oct. 3	Bradley & Co.		
Sailing Vessels.								
Allas	8 2	McKay	Amer. sh.	1252	July 14	Standard Oil Co.		
Astral	2 c	Dunham	A. 4-m. bk.	2989	Sept. 11	Standard Oil Co.		
Grosvenor	2 c	Boga	Brit. bqe.	516	June 13	Order		
Kelat		Hughes	British sh.	1822	July 23	Order		
Luzon	9 c	Park	Amer. bqe.	1932	Aug. 19	Master		
Manuel Llaguno	2 c	Nichols	Amer. sh.	1458	July 31	Standard Oil Co.		

STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL.

[SUPPLIED THROUGH REUTER.]

Queen Louise, Sept. 2; *Bombay*, *Hondera*, 5; *Glamorganshire*, *Serbia*, *Idomeneus*, *Wakasa Maru Spithead*, 12; *Marburg*, *Benclench*, *Deucalion*, 19; *Glenlochy*, *Ambria*, *Sachsen*, *Telemachus*, *Tientsin*, *Atholl*, 23; *Annam*, *Kanagawa Maru*, 26; *Benmohr*, *Konig Albert*, *Pisa*, *Tydeus*, *Menelaus*, *Patroclus*, *Aragonia*, *Accomac*, 30.

Mails.

The T. K. K. s.s. *Hongkong Maru*, with the AMERICAN MAIL of the 11th Sept., left Yokohama on Thursday, the 2nd Oct., and may be expected here on or about Friday, the 10th Oct.

The P. M. S. S. *China*, with mails &c., left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, on the 19th Sept.

Steamers Expected.

The O. S. S. Co Ld. *Agamemnon* left Singapore on the morning of 1st Oct., and is due here on 6th Oct.

The N. Y. K. s.s. *Hiroshima Maru* left Kobe via Moji, for this port on the 1st Oct., and is expected to arrive here on the 6th Oct.

The N. P. Co.'s s.s. *Victoria* sailed from Yokohama for Hongkong, on the 1st Oct.

The s.s. *Hindustan* left New York on the 1st Oct. for Hongkong, China and Japan.

The P. & A. S. S. *Indravelli* sailed from Portland on Sunday morning, the 14th Sept. for Hongkong, via Yokohama, Kobe and Moji, and is expected here on or about the 14th Oct.

The N. P. Co.'s s.s. *Olympia* sailed from Tacoma, for Japan and Hongkong, on the 17th September.

The N. P. Co.'s s.s. *Clavering* sailed from Vladivostock for Hongkong on the 27th September.

The Boston Tow Boat Co.'s s.s. *Pleiades* sailed from Port Arthur on the 26th Sept. for Hongkong.

The E. & A. steamer *Australian* left Sydney on 27th Sept. for Timor, Manila and this port, and is due here on the 21st Oct.

Latest Advices.

The P. & P. S.S. Co.'s str. *Indrapura* left Portland for Hongkong via Japan Ports on Tuesday, the 30th Sept., and may be expected here on on about the 1st Nov.

The N. Y. K. s.s. *Wakasa Maru* left Singapore for this port on the 2nd October, and is expected to arrive here on the 8th Oct.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. *Empress of Japan* left Yokohama on Friday afternoon, the 3rd Sept., for Victoria and Vancouver.

MRS Roofe has much pleasure in testifying to the good received by her through taking Stearns' Wine of Cod Liver Oil. She has also recommended it to several friends.
Wholesale from A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd., Hongkong.

Temperature.

HONGKONG, October 4, 1902.

BAROMETER—9 A.M.	...	30.08
Do. 1 P.M.	...	30.00
Do. 4 P.M.	...	—
THERMOMETER—9 A.M.	...	82
Do. 1 P.M.	...	84
Do. 4 P.M.	...	—
Do. (Wet bulb) 9 A.M.	...	73
Do. Do. 1 P.M.	...	73
Do. Do. 4 P.M.	...	—
Do. Maximum	...	—
Do. Minimum overnight		80

China Coast Meteorological Register.

3rd October.—AT 4 P.M.

Station.	Hours.	Barometer.	Temperature.	Humidity.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Force.	Weather.
Wl'ostock	2 p.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nemuro	,,	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hakodate	,,	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tokio	,,	30.18	—	—	N	4	—
Kochi	,,	30.03	—	—	E	2	—
Nagasaki	,,	30.03	—	—	E	2	—
Kagoshima	,,	29.99	—	—	E	2	—
Oshima	,,	30.00	—	—	N	2	—
Naha	,,	29.97	—	—	NE	2	—
Ishi'jima	,,	30.01	—	—	NE	4	—
Taihoku	1 p.	30.07	—	—	NE	6	—
Taichu	,,	29.95	—	—	NW	6	—
Tainan	,,	29.96	—	—	W	2	—
Koshun	,,	29.99	—	—	NE	6	—
Pescadores	,,	30.01	—	—	NE	10	—
Gutzlaff	3 p.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sharp Pk.	,,	30.05	77	69	E	6	b
Amoy	2.30p.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Swatow	3 p.	30.00	85	—	E	3	b
Canton	,,	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hongkong	4 p.	30.01	83	60	S	1	b
Vict. Peak	,,	—	—	—	S	2	—
Gap Rock	,,	—	—	—	E	—	—
Macao	,,	30.01	88	—	SSE	1	c
Haiphong	,,	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manila	,,	29.84	90	60	—	0	c
Malate	3 p.	—	—	—	W	2	b
Bacolod	,,	—	—	—	SW	—	b
Iloilo	,,	29.90	86	—	S	2	c
Cebu	,,	29.85	87	—	N	2	b
C. S. James	4 p.	—	—	—	—	—	—
4th October.—AT 10 A.M.							
Wl'ostock	7 a.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nemuro	6 a.	30.21	—	—	SE	6	—
Hakodate	,,	30.01	—	—	N	2	—
Tokio	,,	30.02	—	—	N	2	—
Kochi	,,	30.03	—	—	NE	4	—
Nagasaki	,,	30.03	—	—	NE	2	—
Kagoshima	,,	30.03	—	—	E	4	—
Oshima	,,	30.00	—	—	—	0	—
Naha	,,	29.97	—	—	NE	2	—
Ishi'jima	,,	30.01	—	—	N	4	—
Taihoku	5 a.	30.07	—	—	E	2	—
Taichu	,,	29.98	—	—	—	0	—
Tainan	,,	29.97	—	—	—	0	—
Koshun	,,	30.00	—	—	—	0	—
Pescadores	,,	30.00	—	—	NE	8	—
Gutzlaff	9 a.	30.23	70	70	NE	3	cv
Sharp Pk.	,,	30.12	74	86	N	3	c
Amoy	8.30a.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Swatow	9 a.	30.11	79	—	N	1	o
Canton	,,	30.12	81	78	—	0	b
Hongkong	10 a.	30.11	81	59	SE	1	b
Vict. Peak	,,	—	—	—	E	2	—
Gap Rock	,,	—	—	—	—	—	—
Macao	,,	30.11	87	—	ESE	1	c
Haiphong	,,	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manila	,,	29.96	84	77	—	0	c
Malate	9 a.	—	—	—	—	0	o
Bacolod	,,	—	—	—	—	0	b
Iloilo	,,	29.98	83	—	—	0	b
Cebu	,,	29.97	88	—	—	0	b
C. S. James	10 a.	—	—	—	—	—	—

F. G. FIGG, *First Assistant.*

Hongkong Observatory, Oct. 4, 1902.

1. BAROMETER, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit and to the level of the sea in inches, tenths, and hundredths.
2. TEMPERATURE, in the shade, in degrees Fahrenheit.
3. HUMIDITY, in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air saturated with moisture being 100.
4. DIRECTION OF WIND, to two points.
5. FORCE OF WIND, according to Beaufort Scale.
6. STATE OF WEATHER, *b* blue sky, *c* detached clouds, *d* drizzling rain, *f* fog, *g* gloomy, *h* hail, *l* lightning, *o* overcast, *p* passing showers, *q* squally, *r* rain, *s* snow, *t* thunder, *v* visibility, the dew (wet).
RAIN, in inches, tenth and hundredths.

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Hongkong Tides.

The Tide Table given below has been compiled by the Nautical Almanac Office in London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by means of an automatic tide-recording machine in the Water Police Basin at Tsim Sha Tsui during the years 1887-8-9.

The zero of the table is Low Water Ordinary Spring Tides, which has been found to be 2 feet below mean sea level.

To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 6 ft. 7 in., and on the gauge at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 12 ft. 9 in. to the height given in the table.

5th to 11th October.

Day of Week.	Day of Month.	High Water. Hongkong Mean Time. (h m)	High Water. Height. (ft. in.)	Low Water. Hongkong Mean Time. (h m)	Low Water. Height. (ft. in.)
Sun.	5	m 11 34	3 4	m 4 52	—0 1
		10 38 a	4 0	4 24 a	1 2
Mon.	6	0 20 a	2 9	m 5 36	0 1
		11 4 a	4 8	4 48 a	1 5
Tues.	7	1 14 a	2 6	m 6 24	0 3
		11 33 a	4 0	5 9 a	1 8
Wed.	8	2 51 a	2 3	m 7 10	0 6
				5 26 a	2 1
Thur.	9	m 0 8	4 4	m 8 30	0 7
		No inferior	high-	nor low-	water.
Fri.	10	m 0 57	4 2	m 9 47	0 7
		No inferior	high-	nor low-	water.
Sat.	11	m 2 16	4 0	m 10 49	0 6
		7 30 a	2 8	9 40 a	2 8

Exchange.

HONGKONG, October 4, 1902.

On London—
Bank, Wire, ...1/8¼
,, On demand,... ... ...1/8 5/16
,, 30 days' sight, ...1/8⅜
,, 4 months' sight, ...1/8 9/16
Credits, 4 ,, ,, ...1/8 11/16
Documentary, 4 months' sight, ...1/8 13/16
On Paris—
On demand, ... 2.12½
Credits, 4 months' sight, ... 2.16½
On Berlin—Demand,... ... ... 1.73
On New York—
On demand, ... 41¼
Credits, 60 days' sight, ... 42
On Bombay—
Wire, ... 126¾
On demand, ... 127
On Calcutta—
Wire, ... 126¾
On demand, ... 127
On Singapore—
On demand, ... ⅛ % pm.
On Manila—
On demand, ... ½ % pm.
On Shanghai—
On demand, ... 73¾
30 days' sight, (private paper) ... 74½
On Yokohama—
On demand, ... 22 % pm.
Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael)... ...$61.80
Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) ...$11.78
Silver (per oz.) ... ... 23½d.

Hongkong Register

	Previous day at 4 p.m.	On date at 10 a.m.	On date at 4 p.m.
Barometer	30.02	30.12	30.01
Temperature	81	82	83
Humidity	61	60	60
Direction of Wind	E	SE	S
Force	1	2	1
Weather	C	B	B
Rain	—	—	—

Highest open air temperature on the 2nd 85
Lowest open air temperature on the 2nd 75

F. G. FIGG, *Acting Director.*
Hongkong Observatory, Oct. 3, 1902.

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Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	*Vessels.*	*Agents.*	*Date of Leaving.*
Australian Ports	Taiyuan (s)	Butterfield & Swire	October 24.
Australian Ports	Tsinan (s)	Butterfield & Swire	November 15.
Bremen, &c.	Preussen (s)	Melchers & Co.	October 15, at noon.
Havre and Hamburg	Freiburg (s)	Hamburg-Am'ka Linie	October 8.
Havre and Hamburg	Silvia (s)	Hamburg-Am'ka Linie	October 22.
Havre and Hamburg	Saxonia (s)	Hamburg-Am'ka Linie	November 6.
Havre and Hamburg	Serbia (s)	Hamburg-Am'ka Linie	November 19.
Kobe and Yokohama	Wakasa Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Oct. 10, Daylight.
Liverpool	Machaon (s)	Butterfield & Swire	October 14.
London	Nestor (s)	Butterfield & Swire	October 14.
London	Achilles (s)	Butterfield & Swire	October 28.
London	Menelaus (s)	Butterfield & Swire	November 11.
London	Agamemnon (s)	Butterfield & Swire	November 25.
London v. Suez Canal	Glengarry (s)	McGregor Bros. & Gow	October 15.
London, &c.	Valotta (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Oct. 11, at noon.
London	Glenshiel (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Oct. 17, at noon.
Marseilles v. Saigon	Oceanien (s)	Messageries Maritimes	Oct. 6, at 1 p.m.
Manila	Rosetta Maru (s)	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	Oct. 7, at noon.
Manila	Sungkiang (s)	Butterfield & Swire	October 9.
Manila	Loongsang (s)	Jardine, Matheson & Co	Oct. 7, at 4 p.m.
Moji, Kobe & Y'ma	Miike Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Oct. 7, at noon.
NewYork v. Suez Canal	Richmond Castle (s)	Dodwell & Co. Limited	About Oct. 12.
NewYork v. Suez Canal	Lothian (s)	Dodwell & Co. Limited	About Oct. 20.
NewYork v. Suez Canal	Glenesk (s)	McGregor Bros. & Gow	October 11.
Saigon	Quang Nam (s)	Bradley & Co.	October 6.
Shanghai	Chusan (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About October 11.
S'hai and Portland, Or.	Indravelli (s)	Portland & A. S. Co.	October 24.
S'hai and Portland, Or.	Indrapura (s)	Portland & A. S. Co.	November 14.
S'hai and Portland, Or.	Indrasamha (s)	Portland & A. S. Co.	December 14.
S'pore, Col. & B'bay	Hiroshima Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Oct. 10, at noon.
S'pore, P'angCal'ta, &c.	Trieste (s)	Sander, Wieler & Co.	Oct. 21, p.m.
S'tow, Amoy & Tamsui	Daigi Maru (s)	Osaka Shosen Kaisha	Oct. 5.
S'tow, Amoy & Tamsui	Daijin Maru (s)	Osaka Shosen Kaisha	October 12.
S'tow, Amoy & F'chow	Anping Maru (s)	Osaka Shosen Kaisha	October 8.
S'tow, Amoy & F'chow	Haitan (s)	Douglas Lapraik & Co	Oct. 5, Daylight.
Swatow	Thales (s)	Douglas Lapraik & Co	Oct. 7, at 9 a.m.
Tientsin	Kweiyang (s)	Butterfield & Swire	October 11.
Vancouver (B.C.), &c.	Athenian (s)	Canadian P'fic R. Co	October 8.
Vancouver (B.C.), &c.	Empress of China (s)	Canadian P'fic R. Co	October 22.
Vancouver (B.C.), &c.	Empress of India (s)	Canadian P'fic R. Co	Nov. 19.
Victoria, B.C., Seattle	Shinano Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Oct. 6, at 4 p.m.
Victoria, B.C., Tacoma	Pleiades (s)	Dodwell & Co. Limited	October 29.
Victoria, B.C., Tacoma	Victoria (s)	Dodwell & Co., Ltd	October 18.
Victoria, B.C., Tacoma	Olympia (s)	Dodwell & Co. Limited	October 24.
Victoria, B.C., Tacoma	Shawmut (s)	Dodwell & Co. Limited	November 7.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

OCTOBER 4, 1902.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid up.	Closing Quotations, Cash.
BANKS.				
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	80,000	$ 125	all	$600, buyers; London, £63
National Bank of China, Limited	19,970	£ 10	£ 8	$27, sellers
	29,955	£ 10	£ 8	$27, sellers
Do. Founders' shares	7.0	£ 1	£ 1	$10, sellers
MARINE INSURANCES.				
Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld.	10,000	$ 250	$ 50	$185
China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld.	24,000	$ 83.33	$ 25	$59, sales
North-China Insurance Co., Ld.	5,000	£ 100	£ 25	Tls. 187½, sellers
Straits Insurance Co., Ld.	30,000	$ 100	$ 20	in liquidation
Union Insurance Society, Ld.	10,000	$ 250	$ 50	$485, buyers
Yangtze Insurance Association, Ld.	8,000	$ 100	$ 60	$127½, sellers
FIRE INSURANCES.				
China Fire Insurance Co., Ld.	20,000	$ 100	20	$86, buyers
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld.	8,000	$ 250	50	$360, buyers
DOCKS, ETC.				
H'kong & Whampoa Dock Co. Ld.	50,000	$ 50	all	$205, buyers
Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited.	6,000	$ 25	$ 25	$47½, sellers
New Amoy Dock Co., Ltd.	6,000	$ 6¼	$ 6¼	$37, buyers
S. C. Farnham, Boyd & Co. Ld.	55,700	Tls. 100	Tls100	Tls. 190, sellers
STEAMBOATS, TUGS, ETC.				
China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld.	20,000	$ 50	$ 50	$22½, sales & buyers
	10,000	$ 50	$ 5	nominal
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	20,000	$ 50	all	$38½, ex div., buyers
HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Ld.	80,000	$ 15	$ 15	$36¾
Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited	60,000	£ 10	all	$80
Star Ferry Company, Ld.	10,000	$ 10	$ 10	$20, buyers
	10,000	$ 10	$ 5	$10½, buyers
Shell Transport & Trading Co., Ltd.	2,000,000	£ 1	£ 1	£1.17.6, sellers
Shanghai Tug Boat Co., Ld.	2,000	Tls. 100	Tls100	Tls. 260, buyers
Taku Tug and Lighter Co., Ld.	8,600	Tls. 50	Tls 50	Tls. 55
Shanghai Cargo Boat Co., Ld.	6,000	Tls. 100	Tls100	Tls. 140, sales
Co-operative Cargo Boat Co., Ld.	3,000	Tls. 100	Tls100	Tls. 140, sales
REFINERIES.				
China Sugar Company, Limited	20,000	$ 100	all	$99, sellers
Luzon Sugar Company, Limited	7,000	$ 100	all	$10, buyers
Perak Sugar Cultivation Co., Ld.	7,000	Tls. 50	Tls 50	Tls. 77½, buyers
WHARVES.				
HK. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co.	30,600	$ 50	all	$86, buyers
Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Co.	20,100	Tls. 100	Tls100	Tls. 310, buyers
LAND AND BUILDING.				
Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited	50,000	$ 100	100	$171, sellers
Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld.	39,000	Tls. 50	Tls.50	Tls. 117½, sales
Kowloon Land and Building Company	6,000	$ 50	$ 30	$30, sellers
Wei-hei-wei Land & Building Co., Ld	3,764	Tls. 25	Tls.25	Tls. 18½, sellers
Humphreys Estate & Finance Co.	100,000	$ 10	all	$11¾, buyers
West Point Building Co., Limited	12,500	$ 50	$ 50	$47½, sellers
TRAMWAYS.				
HK. High-Level Tramways Co., Ld.	1,250	$ 100	all	$345, buyers
MINING.				
Jelebu Mining & Trading Co., Ld.	60,000	$ 5	all	$1¼
New Punjom Mining Co., Ld.	60,000	$ 10	all	$4½, buyers
,, ,, Preference shares	30,000	$ 1	all	$1, sales
Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin.	16,000	Fcs. 250	all	$560
Raub Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ld.	200,000	£ 1	18/10	$5½, buyers
HOTELS, ETC.				
Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.	12,000	$ 50	all	$127, buyers
Oriente Hotel, Manila	7,000	$ 50	$ 50	$12½, sellers
Astor House Hotel Ltd. (Tientsin)	2,000	T. Tls.50	Tls.50	Tls. 140 sellers
Astor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (S'hai)	4,500	$ 100	$ 100	$28½, sellers
DISPENSARIES.				
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited.	60,000	$ 10	all	$14¼, sellers
Watkins Limited	10,000	$ 10	$ 10	$7, buyers
LIGHTING.				
HK. and China Gas Co., Limited	7,000	£ 10	all	$140, buyers
Shanghai Gas Company, Ltd.	8,000	Tls. 50	Tls.50	Tls. 120, sales
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	30,000	$ 10	$ 10	$13, sellers
New Electrics (new issue)	30,000	$ 10	$ 5	$6½, sellers
BRICK AND CEMENT.				
Green Island Cement Co., Ld.	50,000	$ 10	$ 10	$19¼
MISCELLANEOUS.				
Manila Investment Co., Ld.	20,000	$ 50	$ 50	$20, sellers
Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Ld.	8,604	£ 12/6	£ 12/6	$1, buyers
United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited	4,000 ord'y	$ 10	$ 4	$8½
	100 iders	$ 10	$ 10	$155, buyers
Hongkong Bakery Company, Ld.	600	$ 50	$ 5	$40
Hk. Steam Water-boat Co., Ltd.	7,000	$ 10	$ 7	$9¾, sellers
Hongkong Dairy Farm Co.	10,000	$ 7½	all	$12, buyers
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	5,000	$ 25	all	$240, buyers
Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd.	7,200	£ 20	£ 20	Tls. 350, buyers
Tebrau Planting Company, Ltd.	20,000	$ 5	$ 5	nominal
H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld.	10,000	$ 5	all	$130, sellers
Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ld.	120,0??	$ 10	$ 10	$17, sales & sellers
Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ld.	17,500	Tls. 100	Tls100	Tls. 39, sellers
International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ld.	10,000	Tls. 100	Tls100	Tls. 30
Laou-Kung-Mow Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ld.	8,000	Tls. 100	Tls100	Tls. 37½
Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Ld.	2,000	Tls. 500	Tls500	Tls. 150
China Provident Loan Mortgage Co., Ld.	50,000	$ 10	$ 10	$9¾, buyers
China Borneo Company, Ltd.	7,500	$ 20	$ 15	$22, buyers
Universal Trading Co.	20,000	$ 20	$ 20	$19½, sellers
Robinson Piano Co. Ltd.	4,000	$ 50	$ 50	$52½
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1,200	$ 10	all	$35, sellers
Wm. Powell, Limited	12,000	$ 10	$ 10	$9, sellers
CIGAR COMPANIES.				
Philippine Tobacco Trust Co., Ld.	20,000	$ 50	$ 50	$45, sellers
Alhambra Limited	200	$ 500	$ 500	$500, Nom.

LOANS.	Amount.	Value.	Interest.	Quotation.
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